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McHUGH—In ever-present memory of Lieutenant Edward James (Eddie), 6th Inniskilling Fusiliers, died at Camiers 31st October, 1918, dearly-loved son of the late Edward James and of Mrs. McHugh, Donard tce., Dublin.

BIRTHS.

CANTILLON—October 27, 1922, at 89 Lower Baggot st., the wife of John Heffernan Cantillon, National Bank, Ferns, of a son.

FARLEY—October 25, 1922, at 93 Lower Baggot st., to Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Farley, a daughter.

FLEMING—October 29, 1922, at Church Farm, Aldenham, Hertfordshire, to Margaret, the wife of John Fleming, a son.

HARTNESS—October 22, 1922, at 21 The Mount, Belfast, to Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Hartness, a daughter.

McKEEVER—October 28, 1922, at 16 Estate Cottages, Merrion, Dublin, to Corporal and Mrs. C. McKeever, R.A.S.C., a daughter.

MALONE—October 26, 1922, at Seaview, Sorrento Point, Dalkey, to Captain and Mrs. E. M. Malone, 91st Punjabis, a son.

MARRIAGES.

JONES and WILSON—September 6, 1922, at Edmonton, Alberta, Canada, Clarence Jones, fifth son of the late Richard Jones, Ontario, to Lucy Maud, second daughter of the late Robert William Wilson, of Skerries, Co. Dublin.

LIGHTFOOT and KEEGAN—October 25, 1922, at St. Laurence O'Toole's, Seville place, John J. Lightfoot, eldest son of Margaret and the late Peter Lightfoot, of 64 Mountjoy square, to Kathleen, younger daughter of Maurice and Annie Keegan, 1 Church st., North Wall, Dublin.

REILLY and DALY—September 29, 1922, at Parish Church, Lower Sydenham, by Rev. Fr. Pritchard, William Laurence, second eldest surviving son of the late James and Catherine Reilly, 4 College Green, and 7 Belgrave Park, Rathmines, to Kathleen, youngest daughter of the late Michael Daly, Charlestown, Co. Sligo.

DEATHS.

ANNOUNCEMENTS received late for insertion in this Column will be found on Page 4.

BRODIGAN—Monday, October 30, 1922, at 29 Rathgar av., Dublin, Margaret, widow of the late Patrick Brodigan. R.I.P. Funeral to St. Patrick's Cemetery, Dundalk, to-morrow (Wednesday) at 10.25 a.m., on arrival of train from Dublin.

DOUGLASS—October 29, 1922, at his residence, 50 St. Patrick's rd., Drumcondra, William H. Douglass, eldest son of the late Charles Douglass, Hillview, Bray. Funeral from 50 St. Patrick's rd., at 9.30 o'clock, this (Tuesday) morning for interment in Drumcondra Churchyard.

GRIFFIN—October 29, 1922, at Charlestown, Ardee, Mary Elizabeth, second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Griffin, Balbriggan. Funeral (strictly private) to-day (Tuesday).

HARRIS—October 30, 1922, at the Adelaide Hospital, the beloved wife of Mr. T. Harris, Riverdale House, Island Bridge. Deeply mourned by her sorrowing husband, daughter, and sons. Funeral (private) to Mount Jerome to-morrow (Wednesday).
Peace, perfect peace—in this dark world of sin?
The Blood of Jesus whispers peace within.
Peace, perfect peace—by thronging duties pressed?
To do the will of Jesus, this is rest.

LASSAM—October 21, 1922, at the residence of Mrs. Carey, 33 Dominick st., Dun Laoghaire (Kingstown), Emily Lassam, for over 57 years the faithful servant and friend of the late William Hemingway Mills, Esq., and family, late of Nurney, Glenageary, Co. Dublin, aged 86 years. "To be with Christ, which is far better."

MARUM—October 23, 1922, killed in action, Jim, beloved husband of Bella Marum, aged 28 years. Sadly missed, but "the Lord knoweth them that are His." "Simply trusting Jesus."

PHELAN—October 29, 1922, at a Private Hospital, Dublin, Mary, relict of the late Thomas Phelan, Loughnagore House, Kilbeggan. R.I.P. Funeral from Kilbeggan Catholic Church to-day (Tuesday), at 2 o'clock, to Castletown G. Australian and American papers please copy.

ROBERTSON—October 28, 1922, at Hermitage, Roebuck, Co. Dublin, Margaret, dearly-loved wife of William Robertson. Funeral at Mount Jerome, 11 o'clock, to-morrow (Wednesday).

TENNANT—October 28, 1922, at his residence, 14 Oakley rd., Ranelagh, Andrew Tennant (late Cutter, Clery and Co., Dublin). Funeral to Mount Jerome from above address, at 9 a.m., to-day (Tuesday), 31st inst. No flowers. Australian papers please copy.

ACKNOWLEDGMENT.

Mrs. White, 6 St. Peter's rd., Phibsborough, mother, and sisters of late Bernard Joseph (Bertie) White, desire to return their sincere thanks to all who sympathised with them in their recent bereavement.

IN MEMORIAM.

AGAR—Third Anniversary—In fond memory of my dear husband, "late Constable in the R.I.C.," who was murdered at Ballivor Barracks, in the execution of his duty, on All Hallows Eve night, 1919. Ever remembered by wife and child, 15 Annavilla, Ranelagh. To-day recalls sad memories.

BIRD—First Anniversary—In sad and loving memory of our dear mother, Mrs. Matilda Beatrice Bird, who departed this life on the 30th-31st October, 1921, at her residence, 16 Glengariffe Parade, N.C. rd. Masses offered.
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DUNNE—Annie Henderson ("Goodie"), beloved wife of J. Young Dunne, died 31st October, 1921, at "Greenfield," Sandymount.

HIGGINS—First Anniversary—In sad and loving memory of my darling daughter, Violet, who died October 31st, 1921. Inserted by her loving mother, sisters, and brother, 1 Aston's quay, Dublin.

KELLEHER—In loving memory of our dear son, Philip St. John Howlett Kelleher, M.C., District Inspector, R.I.C., late Captain 4th Leinster Regiment, shot at Granard, Co. Longford, October 31st, 1920, son of Doctor and Mrs. J. Kelleher, Macroom, Co. Cork. R.I.P.

LUCAS—Fourth Anniversary—In sad and loving memory of our darling Ethel, who died October 30, 1918, at Alpha Cottage, Malahide rd. Ever remembered and sadly missed by her parents and sister. "We miss her most who loved her best."

McGUIRE—In ever-loving memory of May McGuire, and of her sister, Kathleen (Mrs. Barry), who died, at Limerick, October 31st, 1919, and October 23rd, 1918. May their souls rest in peace.

McGUIRE—In sad and loving memory of May Maguire, who died at Elm Lodge, Limerick, October 31, 1919; also her dear sister, Kathleen Barry, died October 23, 1918. R.I.P.

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All persons having any claims against the estate of the above Deceased, who died on the 21st day of October, 1922, are hereby required to furnish detailed particulars (in writing) of such claims immediately to the undersigned Solicitors for the Executors of the Will of Deceased.
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The lowest or any Tender will not necessarily be accepted.
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Notice is hereby given, pursuant to 30 and 31 Vic., Cap. 54, that the above-named Deceased by her Will dated the 14th day of November, 1904, bequeathed the following Charitable Legacies:—

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And by her said Will the said Testatrix appointed Henry Pelham Mayne, of 6 Dawson street, in the City of Dublin, Solicitor, and the Reverend Gerald William Peacocke, of the Rectory, Geashill, in the County of King's County, Clerk in Holy Orders, to be the Executors thereof.
The said Testatrix died in the 23rd day of June, 1922, and Probate of her said Will (with one Codicil dated the 5th day of April, 1921), was granted forth of the Principal Registry, King's Bench Division (Probate) of the High Court of Justice in Southern Ireland, on the 24th day of August, 1922, to the said Executors.
Dated the 26th day of October, 1922.
MILWARD JONES, MAYNE & SHARPE, Solicitors for the Executors, 6 Dawson street, Dublin.
To the Commissioners for Charitable Donations and Bequests for Ireland, and to all persons whom it may concern.

RE STEPHEN SLATTERY, Deceased.
Pursuant to the Act of Parliament of the 22nd and 23rd Vict., C. 35, notice is hereby given that all Creditors and other persons having any debts, claims, or demands against the Estate of Stephen Slattery, late of 49 St. Agnes road, Moseley, and of the City Meat Market, both in the City of Birmingham, Meat Salesman and Contractor, Deceased (who died on the 26th day of April, 1922, and whose Will was proved in the Birmingham District Registry, of the Probate Division of His Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 15th day of August, 1922, by Annie Slattery, Thomas Slattery, and Patrick Slattery, the Executors therein named), are hereby required to send in the particulars of their debts, claims, or demands to us, the undersigned the Solicitors for the said Executors, on or before the 12th day of December, 1922, after which date the said Executors will proceed to distribute the Assets of the said Deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims and demands of which they shall then have had notice; and they will not be liable for the Assets of the said Deceased, or any part thereof so distributed to any person or persons of whose debts, claims, or demands they shall not then have had notice.
Dated this 21st day of October, 1922.
PINSENT and CO., 6 Bennett's Hill, Birmingham, Solicitors for the said Executors.

IN THE GOODS OF
REGINALD A. ANDREWS, late of 11 Tivoli terrace, South, Dun Laoghaire (late Kingstown), and 20 St. Andrew street, Dublin, Solicitor, Deceased.
Take Notice that on the expiration of eight days from the date hereof we shall apply to the proper officer of the High Court of Justice in Southern Ireland, King's Bench Division (Probate), for a Grant of Probate of the Will of the above-named Deceased, who died on the 2nd day of July, 1922.
Dated this 30th day of October, 1922.
D. and T. FITZGERALD, Solicitors for Executors, 20 St. Andrew street, Dublin.

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUSTICE IN SOUTHERN IRELAND.
KING'S BENCH DIVISION (PROBATE).
In the Goods of
JOHN DUFFY, late of Corballis Rathcore, in the County of Meath, Farmer, Deceased, who died on the 20th day of May, 1920.
TO ALL PERSONS CONCERNED.
Take Notice that I am about to apply for a Grant of Administration, with the Will annexed, of the above Deceased, and that at the expiration of eight days from this date the Grant may issue unless a Caveat be entered in the Principal Probate Registry, King's Inns, Henrietta street, Dublin.
Dated this 28th day of October, 1922.
DANIEL J. REILLY, Solicitor for Mary Duffy, the intended Administratrix, 35 Molesworth street, Dublin.

IN THE GOODS OF
ISABELLA FRANCES WESTBY, late of "Verville," Clontarf, in the County of Dublin, Spinster, Deceased.
All persons having any claims against the estate of above Deceased, who died on the 9th day of November, 1919, are required, on or before the 15th day of December, 1922, to furnish particulars thereof to the undersigned Solicitors for the Administrator of the Deceased, to whom Letters of Administration of the personal estate and effects of said Deceased were granted on 19th December, 1921. And Notice is hereby further given that after the said 15th day of December, 1922, the Administrator will proceed to distribute the assets of said Deceased, having regard only to claims of which particulars shall have been furnished as above required.
Dated this 31st day of October, 1922.
FRANCIS L. BROWNRIGG, Solicitor for said Administrator, 5 Hume street, Dublin.

RIALTAS SEALADACH NA hEIREANN.
Gazette Notice—Adjudication—Public Sittings—17.
IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUSTICE IN SOUTHERN IRELAND.
KING'S BENCH DIVISION—IN BANKRUPTCY.
ADAM McKIBBIN, formerly of Carnveigh, Bailieborough in the County of Cavan, Farmer, was, on the 10th day of October, 1922, adjudged Bankrupt.
Public Sittings will be held before the Court, at the King's Inns, Henrietta street, Dublin, on Friday, the 10th day of November, 1922, and on Friday, the 24th day of November, 1922, at the hour of Eleven o'clock in the forenoon, whereat the Bankrupt is to attend, and to make a full disclosure and discovery of his estate and effects. Creditors may prove their debts, and at the First Sitting choose a Creditors' Assignee. At the Last Sitting the Bankrupt is required to finish his Examination.
All persons having in their possession any property of the Bankrupt should deliver it and all debts due to the Bankrupt should be paid to A. G. Hollinshead, Official Assignee, King's Inns, Henrietta street, Dublin, to whom Creditors may forward their Affidavits of Debt.
C. B. CLARKE, Deputy Registrar.
EUGENE F. COLLINS, Solicitor, 19 Eustace street, Dublin.

STATUTORY NOTICE TO CREDITORS.
In the Goods of
ANTHONY LOFTUS CLIFFE, late of Bellevue, Macmine, in the County of Wexford, Esquire, J.P., D.L., Deceased.
Notice is hereby given, pursuant to the Statute 22 and 23 Vic., cap. 35, that all persons claiming to be creditors of, or otherwise having any claims or demands against the estate of the above-named Anthony Loftus Cliffe, Deceased, who died on the 30th day of December, 1921, are required, on or before the 25th day of November, 1922, to furnish (in writing) particulars of such claims and demands to the undersigned Solicitors for the Executors, Dame Frances Emma Talbot Power, formerly of Bellevue, in the County of Wexford, Widow, and now of 124 St. James' Court, Buckingham Gate, London, S.W., and Bernard J. O'Flaherty, of Enniscorthy, in the said County, Solicitor, to whom Probate of the Will of the said Deceased was granted forth of the Waterford District Registry of the King's Bench Division (Probate) of the High Court of Justice in Southern Ireland on the 13th day of June, 1922.
And Notice is hereby further given that after the said 25th day of November, 1922, the Executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the Deceased according to the rights of the parties interested, having regard only to the claims of which notice and particulars shall have been given as required above.
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Dates.	Places.	Hours of Sitting.
Monday, 6th November, 1922.	Dundrum.	10.30 a.m.
Do. do.	Rathfarnham.	12.30 p.m.
Do do.	Tallaght.	3.30 p.m.
Tuesday, 7th November, 1922.	Raheny.	11 a.m.
Do do.	Swords.	3 p.m.
Wednesday, 8th November, 1922.	Balbriggan.	11 a.m.
Monday, 13th November, 1922.	Lucan.	10.30 a.m.
Do. do.	Blanchardstown.	3.30 p.m.
Tuesday, 14th November, 1922.	Celbridge.	11 a.m.
Monday, 20th November, 1922.	Dunshaughlin.	11 a.m.
Tuesday, 21st November, 1922.	Robertstown.	10.30 a.m.
Do do.	Naas.	3 p.m.
Wednesday, 22nd November, 1922.	Newbridge.	11.30 a.m.
Monday, 27th November, 1922.	Curragh.	12 o'clock.
Do. do.	Kildare.	3 p.m.
Tuesday, 28th November, 1922.	Ballymore Eustace.	1 p.m.
Monday, 4th December, 1922.	Donadea.	11 a.m.

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Dates.	Places.	Hours of Sitting.
Thursday, 9th November.	Bray and Enniskerry at Bray....	10.30 a.m.
	Newtownmountkennedy	2.30 p.m.
Friday, 10th November.	Wicklow	11. 0 a.m.
	Rathdrum	2.30 p.m.
Wednesday, 15th November.	Arklow	10. 0 a.m.
	Tinahely	12.30 p.m.
	Shillelagh	2.30 p.m.
Friday, 17th November.	Stradbally	11. 0 a.m.
	Ballickmoyler	2. 0 p.m.
Thursday, 23rd November.	Baltinglass	10.30 a.m.
	Hacketstown	1. 0 p.m.
Friday, 24th November.	Monasterevan	11. 0 a.m.
	Athy	2.30 p.m.
Tuesday, 28th November.	Blessington	11.30 a.m.
	Ballymore Eustace	1. 0 p.m.
	Dunlavin	3. 0 p.m.

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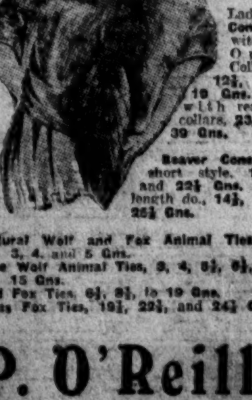

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WOMAN AND HER HOME.

Preparing for Christmas.

USEFUL GIFTS THAT CAN BE MADE AT HOME.

DIRECTLY the evenings begin to draw in, and the lamps are lit, and chairs are drawn cosily round the fire, one naturally thinks of Christmas, with its attendant festivities, parties for the children, little dinners for the family reunion. All sorts of ideas occur for little gifts, and for homes where the cost of the presents one so delights to give are a consideration, I am going to suggest one or two little novelties that will be beautiful and artistic, and yet inexpensive, that can be made at home.

Irish Linen Table Mats.

It is often difficult to know what to give the mother of a family, because she invariably says if you give her some little personal gift, "Thank you very much, dear, but you shouldn't have wasted your money; something for the house would have done just as well and been more useful." I think nothing would be more acceptable than a set of little table mats. They should be made out of the best Irish linen—scallop the edges, and embroider them to match the dinner service. A table centre might go with the set.

As a change from the inevitable slippers for the "head of the house," why not a pocket tool case, or small case for comb and nail scissors, or a card case? These can all be made with suede. There are any amount of beautiful colourings now on the market. Paste the suede firmly on to stiff cardboard, bind neatly, and line with strong silk. Neat ribbon loops can be attached to hold the various articles in the case. These goods are highly priced in the shops, but any girl who is handy with her fingers can make these at home.

Gorgeous Boxes in Suede.

Suede is most popular this season. I have seen the most gorgeous boxes, all shapes and sizes, and in every imaginable colour that could be used for gloves, handkerchiefs, etc.

One long box was covered with fawn suede, and autumn leaves had been cut out of the same material in deep brown and orange shades and pasted on. Another oval box was covered with a deep green suede, with a cluster of purple grapes in the centre.

Pretty Head Dresses for Girls.

A delightful gift for either little or big girls with the party season coming on is a pretty hair ornament to go with the party frock. A narrow plait of the material could be made to go across the front of the hair, and finished each side with tiny rosebuds, or a narrow band of the material could be edged with small beads with tiny tassels of beads each side. This last would look sweet on the quite small girl; but don't forget a piece of elastic attached to each side to keep it in position.

All kinds of ambitious head dresses can be attempted for the older girls. I have seen some lovely little "Juliet" caps for evening wear carried out in silver braid and silver leaves that would look charming on a black haired maiden, and a similar creation carried out in pale pink, with pearls where the ribbon crossed would suit a fair, curly bobbed hair girl.

Bacchanalian Hair Band.

Charming wreaths can be made for the hair out of little bright pieces of silk, shaped into tiny fruits, and all fastened on to a band of black velvet, while another pretty effect would be obtained by a cluster of the fruit at one side. In a theatre the other night I noticed an auburn-haired woman with a band of purple grapes all round the hair, and large hanging clusters each side, but I cannot say I really admired this bacchanalian effect.

A. K. STEVENS.

The long lines for slenderness, plus the wrap-over effect so much in vogue just now, are illustrated in this design. The skirt is draped to hang much shorter in front than in the rear, and the *ensemble* has been carried out in sand-coloured satin and dark brown velours.

COBWEB STOCKINGS.

A fashion has sprung up in London for wearing cobweb hose of a colour known as "sunburnt brown." This hose is so thin and transparent that it almost looks as if the wearer were barefooted. Stockings of this type are decorated with a single line of French clocking carried out in every conceivable shade of brown.

DRESSING GOWNS.

When you want a dressing gown go straight to the men's department and pretend that you want one for your husband. Then you will get the right thing, probably for less money, and it will have a couple of sensible pockets at least. Few of us have any use for the airy confections deemed suitable for woman's wear.

FOR THE COOK.

GLAZED APPLES.

Take half a dozen large apples, a cupful and a half of sugar, and the same amount of water. Boil the sugar in the water rapidly for at least twenty minutes. Pare and core the apples carefully, keeping them whole. Place them on a deep dish, putting a teaspoonful of sugar in the centre of each apple, then baste the outside of them with a teaspoonful of the hot syrup. Place the dish in a moderately hot oven, and bake till the fruit is tender, basting frequently with the syrup. When the apples are thoroughly cooked, place them in a silver entree dish or glass dish, and when slightly cooled off pour over them the juice from the dish in which they were cooked. Allow to become cold, and serve with whipped cream.

SOME DELICIOUS SWEETS.

A popular and famous restaurateur, who first started catering in a very small way, told me the other day that he attributed his success to always paying special attention to the "sweets." He contended that a variety of delicate sweets and fruits on his menu did more to make his restaurants popular than the most delicious hors-d'œuvre ever invented.

"It is absolutely necessary to please the ladies," he said; "for it is they who decide which restaurant they and their escorts will go to, and it is the sweets they particularly enjoy."

I give herewith a few recipes for making delightful sweets for the home table, neither difficult nor costly.

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Take a deep silver or china dish and cover the bottom of it with vanilla ice. Cut into halves some ripe pears (bottled ones will do just as well), and sprinkle very lightly with crystallised voilets, then put on a thin layer of whipped cream. Have beside the person serving a jug of hot chocolate sauce, and as a portion of the sweet is put on each plate pour over a generous helping of the sauce.

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The following compote of fruit is deservedly popular at one of our largest London hotels:—

Shred a fresh pineapple to form the base of the compote, in the midst place a fresh very ripe pear or peach. Then pour over a liquid made of the juice of raspberries (bottled or tinned juice will do). Use the whole raspberries to garnish the dish, and place on the ice a few minutes before serving.

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A famous sweet at a dance club, where I frequently go for a supper snack, is a pancake stuffed with fresh fruit. It is made as follows:—

The pancake is cooked a beautiful golden brown and served like a crepe Suzette, with a sauce made of butter, sugar, a very little curaçoa, a slighter larger portion of brandy and orange juice. Then the pancake is folded over the fruit, which has been sweetened to taste. Raspberries, strawberries or sliced bananas can be used.

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The following sweet is universally liked and would please the most epicurean palate:—

Put some strawberries, cherries (stoned), apricots, raspberries or peaches into a bowl, and strain some orange juice over whichever fruit you are using, then add some sugar and a little Grand Marnier or curaçoa. Next beat a little of the fruit used into a pulp and beat up the strained syrup from them with thick Devonshire cream in order to flavour and colour it. The cream is then placed in the centre of the fruit, and slices of orange or candied cherries can be used for decoration. The whole preparation should be placed on ice before using.

ROUND THE SHOPS IN DUBLIN.

DRESS IN ITS LATEST MODES.

Never have the tones of colour used in the materials for women's clothes been lovelier in their soft subdued richness, or more in harmony with nature as seen in foliage and earth. They seem to blend of themselves as it were with the borderings of fur with which nearly all the costumes and dresses are trimmed this autumn.

The important establishments in Dublin are all displaying this rich riot of colour, where nothing crude or staring is allowed to show its face.

More Individuality.

To-day women show much more individuality in dress than in former years, and this personal taste in sartorial matters accounts for the many differing, but equally attractive, models to be met with in a tour of the Dublin shops.

A few outstanding features can be noted by the observer, the loose fitting coat with straight panel back, high funnel like collar of fur, with cuffs and a border to correspond, has come to stay. A very elegant example of such a costume was shown by a firm, carried out in rust-red tweed, with brown fur trimmings. Just the kind of thing to wear at the coming autumn race meetings, especially if a velvet tam o' shanter of the same hue was used with it.

The bloused back, or the cape, gives ease and comfort to most coats, whether long or short. Nothing tight-fitting or stiff is seen. Coloured velvet hats are worn with dark costumes.

Felt Hats

Felt hats are chiefly used for bad weather, while the wide-brimmed hat is kept for full-dress occasions. Stamped velvet, embroidered cloth, showing self-coloured designs, are used for afternoon toilettes, and the beaded effect is still used, but in a totally different manner to that observable in the spring.

The trimming is as often as not to be found on the back of the bodice. The straight slim line is maintained, and the skirt falls to just above the ankle.

Still greater latitude in style and material is seen in evening dresses. Gorgeous brocades of exquisite shades of colour, interwoven with gold or silver thread, are indiscriminately made up for both maid and matron. For the latter, the closely folded and draped gown is the most popular.

Classical Draperies.

The classical draperies are caught on the hip with a jewelled ornament. The top of the arm is still left bare, but a diaphanous fall of tulle or net starting from a jewelled band on the upper arm is the latest of fashion's fancies.

For young girls the little perfectly plain bodice with the satin or brocade skirt set in gathers under a girdle of shaded beads or closely set flowers is generally adopted.

Such a style does not suit every young girl, and the filmy lace and tulle frock, caught with a quaint looking posy of old-fashioned flowers at the waist, will prove as becoming as the more elaborate gown.

For a dark girl with clear colour, an evening dress in flame satin, veiled in chiffon of the same shade and a long twisted girdle of cream and pale blue beads, would prove an immense success. Such a dress was one of the new models shown by a Dublin firm; while a shimmering silver and white gown looked Grecian in its classic elegance.

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YESTERDAY'S COURT CAS[ES]

BIG NEWSPAPE[R] CONTRACTS.

£200,000 CLAIMED.

DUBLIN COMPANY'S APPEAL.

In the Court of Appeal for Southern [Ire]land, before the Lord Chief Justice, Lord [Jus]tice Ronan, and Lord Justice O'Connor, [the] cases of Fernstrom v. the *Freeman's Jour[nal]* Ltd., and Traesliberi v. same came on [for] hearing by way of appeal for new trials. [The] actions were both brought to recover large su[ms] of money from the company on foot of c[on]tracts in respect of the supply of paper, [and] the trials resulted in verdicts against the co[m]pany. To a large extent both actions w[ere] similar, if not almost identical, but it w[as] found advisable that they should be hea[rd] separately. The case of Fernstrom was ta[ken] first, the defendants being the applicants [and] appellants.

Mr. S. L. Brown, K.C.; Mr. Dickie, K.[C.] and Mr. Moloney (instructed by Messrs. Mi[ley] and Miley) appeared for the *Freema[n's] Journal*, Ltd.

Mr. Serjeant Hanna, Mr. FitzGibbon, K.[C.] and Mr. Dockrell (instructed by Messrs. D. a[nd] T. Fitzgerald) appeared for the plaintiffs a[nd] respondents.

Mr. Brown, opening the appeal, explain[ed] that the action in this case was brought [to] recover damages for not taking delivery [of] large quantities of paper, and the claim w[as] put at £200,000. In the second case th[e] amount of damages claimed was the same; bu[t] the contracts were separate. The plaintiff i[n] this case was a manufacturer of paper, an[d] also an agent in London for the sale of pape[r] to people who wanted it, and the defendant[s] were the *Freeman's Journal* Company, whic[h] was incorporated in December, 1919, for th[e] purpose of acquiring and taking over the bus[i]ness of the former *Freeman's Journal*, Ltd[.] Company. The capital of the present ne[w] company was £100,000. There were 97,500 £[1] Shares—47,500 Preference Shares, and 50,00[0] Ordinary Shares, fully paid up. It was a tw[o] men company, the only shareholders and direc[]tors being Mr. Hamilton Edwards and M[r.] Martin Fitzgerald. The company in tha[t] respect was peculiar. As a matter of arrange[]ment between the two the commercial or bus[i]ness side and the management of the unde[r]taking were in the hands of Mr. Hamilto[n] Edwards, and the running of the paper an[d] its policy were for convenience entrusted t[o] Mr. Martin Fitzgerald, who resided perm[a]nently in Dublin, Mr. Hamilton Edwards resi[d]ing mostly in London.

GROUNDS OF OBJECTION.

What they sought for here was an ord[er] setting aside the verdict and judgment entere[d] for the plaintiff on 3rd March last by M[r.] Justice Dodd, who tried the case, with a speci[al] jury, and entering judgment for the defen[]dants on the ground of misdirection and re[] direction by the learned judge, and on th[e] ground that at the close of the case he ough[t,] as required by counsel for the defendants, t[o] have left to the jury the question whether th[e] paper, the subject matter of the contract sue[d] on, was purchased by the defendants in th[e] ordinary course of business for the publicatio[n] of their newspapers, or as a mere speculatio[n,] and, further, that the judge ought to hav[e] directed the jury on the evidence of the plain[]tiff that they should find that the paper wa[s] purchased by the defendants as a speculation[,] and that the contract was *ultra vires*, and of no effect.

In the alternative they applied fo[r] a new trial on the ground of misdirection and non-direction by the Judge, and on th[e] ground that he misdirected the jury by direct[]ing them that implied authority on the par[t] of the defendant, Hamilton Edwards, to ente[r] into the contract sued on could be presume[d] from previous transactions, and on the ground that the findings of the jury were against evidence and the weight of evidence, and tha[t] there was no evidence to go to the jury of ex[]press or implied authority on the part o[f] Hamilton Edwards to enter into the contrac[t] on behalf of the defendant company, and on the ground of the improper rejection by th[e] Judge of evidence on the part of the defendant[s] that the paper was purchased as a speculation[,] and also on the ground that the Judge refuse[d] to leave to the jury the question whether th[e] paper was purchased in the ordinary course o[f] business for the purpose of the publication o[f] their newspapers, or was purchased by th[e] defendants for the purpose of re-sale and as [a] speculation, and that if it was so purchased th[e] contract was *ultra vires* and of no effect.

Counsel dealt in detail with the dates o[n] which the offers of the plaintiff were made fo[r] the supply of the large quantities of paper th[e] subject matter of the contracts, pointing ou[t] that the market for paper fluctuated remark[]ably. In the autumn of 1919 it was £40 10s. per ton; in January following it rose to £73 per ton. Afterwards it went up to £75 and £77 per ton, and subsequently it fell to something like £16. There were there four contracts, amounting to 7,800 tons, of which the board approved, the price of which was £429,000. The next contract was for 3,000 tons, and that was the contract which is the subject of this action.

Lord Justice Ronan (to Mr. Brown)—Is it your contention that these were not contracts which a newspaper company would enter into at all for the purposes of its publications, but that this was a matter of speculation entered into on a wild market?

Mr. Brown—Yes, and that they were entered into *ultra vires* and without authority under the circumstances.

THE CONTRACTS.

Dealing with the minutes of the board o[f] directors at their meetings, at which negotia[]tions between the plaintiff and Mr. Hamilton Edwards were confirmed, Mr. Brown said tha[t] they had no previous knowledge with referenc[e] to some of the contracts. Mr. Fitzgerald di[d] not know anything about the contract for th[e] 3,000 tons until he communicated with M[r.] Hamilton Edwards in Mountjoy Prison whe[re] they had been arrested under martial law.

Replying to Lord Justice O'Connor, couns[el] said that it would be necessary for the two o[f] them to sit together to form a board; and, i[n] reply to Lord Justice Ronan, he admitted th[at] Mr. Hamilton Edwards had been properly a[p]pointed manager.

Having read the correspondence that passe[d] between the parties, Mr. Brown admitted th[at] these four contracts had been brought befor[e] the board meeting.

Lord Justice O'Connor pointed out that a[c]cording to the correspondence and minutes, [as] he understood, Mr. Hamilton Edwards was pu[r]porting not merely to negotiate on behalf [of] the company, but to conclude contracts f[or] them.

Mr. Brown—I do not think there is a[ny] evidence of that at all. He had no authori[ty] to conclude anything or to bind the board [at] all. It was the board that had that power.

Lord Justice Ronan—The directors?

Mr. Brown—The board.

Lord Justice Ronan agreed that on t[he] evidence there was no formal confirmation [or] approval of this 3,000 tons contract on whi[ch] this action was based.

The arguments had not concluded at t[he] rising of the Court.

DEAD POLICEMAN'S MONE[Y]

KILLED IN AN AMBUSH.

In the Chancery Division yesterday, befo[re] the Master of the Rolls, in the matter of t[he] estate of James McElhill, deceased,

Mr. Maguire (instructed by Messrs. Magu[ire] and Herbert) applied for an order presumi[ng] the death of Denis McElhill, son of Jam[es] McElhill. The latter was a head constable [of] the Royal Irish Constabulary, and was kil[led] in an ambush at Kilbeggan, Co. Westmeath, [in] June, 1921. He left two sons, Denis a[nd] Bernard, and one daughter, Mary, and [his] estate consisted of money in bank, stocks a[nd] shares, and some farms of land, the to[tal] value being about £2,500. Denis emigrated [to] America over thirty years ago, and for [some] years following his departure he wrote re[gu]larly to his father, after which communicat[ion] with him ceased altogether. Diligent inqui[ry] had been made as to his whereabouts, [but] without success, and it was now presumed [that] he was dead. The family came from Shana[] Co. Tyrone, and there were only three next [of] kin.

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APPRENTICE—City Chemist has vacancy for smart, well educated Youth.—C 673, this office. 30 C

A QUALIFIED Dental Surgeon, with excellent testimonials, would be glad to hear of vacancy as an Operating Assistant; accept small salary.—C 680, this office. 30 E

CHEMIST requires Apprentice (boy), indoor; fee required. Address "Z 964, Apprentice," this office. 27 E

DOMESTICATED young Lady, Nursing experience, musical, own uniform, desires immediate position, institution, Dublin; good references; accept moderate salary.—C 538, this office. 28 B

HIGHLY experienced Nurse wishes post with invalid lady or gentleman.—C 682, this office. 30 C

INVALID Nurse or Doctor's Patient; Protestant; able to take charge.—C 596, this office. 30 E

JUNIOR Assistant—Smart Salesman, Photographic Proprietary lines, Wanted by City Chemists.—C 677, this office. 30 C

LADY Nurse, Companion seeks engagement; some hospital experience, thoroughly domesticated; highest references.—"Nurse," c/o Mrs. Donnelly, 260 Gibson terrace, Merrion, Co. Dublin. (Would go to England.) 30 E

PHARMACEUTICAL Chemist wants a Locum for a fortnight. Address "Z 955, Chemist," this office. 27 E

VACANCY required, Girl, Improver; indoor; particulars given on inquiry; Midlands or North.—C 495, this office. 30 C

YOUNG Lady, having passed Preliminary Examination, wishes to hear of Vacancy in Chemist's Shop; city preferred.—C 312, this office.

EMPLOYMENT WANTED.

A YOUNG Man, with two years' experience of Grocery and Hardware; good reference. Address "Z 969, Man," this office. 27 C

A SMART Shorthand Typist requires a position; highest references and certificates.—C 511, this office. 28 D

ARCHITECTURAL Draughtsman, disengaged through business depression; six years' experience.—C 650, this office. 30 E

A GENTLEWOMAN would do the Work of a Small House; would go to England.—C 623, this office.

BOOT Trade—Capable young Lady Assistant open to engagement; knows ladies', gents', and children's good class trade; Protestant. Address "Z 994, Assistant," this office. 29 D

CONFECTIONER, Cook, all round, disengaged; icing, piping, fancies, gateaus.—C 316, this office. 26 B

CIVIL Servant, retired on small pension, would undertake Responsible Position at nominal wages.—C 650, this office. 30 E

DRAPERY—Business Man (28), excellent Retail, Wholesale, and Travelling experience, wishes to hear of Vacancy for either of above; Protestant; presently engaged. Address "Z 999, Man," this office. 30 E

EXPERIENCED Lady Clerk, Bookkeeping, knowledge Shorthand, Typing; good references.—C 530, this office. 28 D

EXPERIENCED Secretarial Bookkeeper—Young Lady (Protestant) desires position as above to medical man; available for permanent or part time.—R 0 986, Irish Times Branch Office, Rathmines.

EXPERIENCED young Lady (clergyman's daughter) desires post as Companion Help, or Useful Help in school; fond of housework and outdoor life; no objection to country. Address "Z 1000, Lady," this office. 30 C

EMPLOYMENT WANTED CONTINUED.

GROCERY, Provisions—Thoroughly competent young Lady, nearly five years' first class city experience (one house), desires engagement in good class city house; take charge; work no object; good salary; presently engaged.—C 501, this office.

HOTEL and Restaurant Officials and Servants Wanted and seeking Employment will be found under special heading following Situations Vacant. T

LADY Help or Nurse Attendant to ladies or gentlemen, or Housekeeping. R.C.—"Z 908, Attendant," this office. 26 B

LADY, having spare time, wants light employment; read, write, walk out with a lady or young children. C 476, this office. 27 C

LADY wishes post as Companion, town or country.—692, Irish Times Branch Office, Baggot st. Bridge. 27 C

LADY, good cook, wants Work, weekly, daily; state wants.—Cook, Irish Times Branch Office, Kingstown. 28 B

LADY B. Comm., desires position Clerk or Secretary, Typewriting, knowledge Shorthand. Address "Z 977, Secretary," this office. 28 D

PROTESTANT desires position Useful Help, Housekeeper; city or suburbs.—Dale's Registry, Enniscorthy.

SHORTHAND, Typewriting, and Bookkeeping—Girl, 18, will give some free time in return for office experience.—C 265, this office. 25 A

STEADY Girl wishes post; understands Dairy and Grocery Business; indoor or outdoor; good references.—708, Irish Times Branch Office, Baggot st. Bridge.

SUPERIOR Girl (Protestant) wants post, Housekeeper; care invalid; good worker and manager; well recommended.—709, Irish Times Branch Office, Baggot st. Bridge.

USEFUL Help (Protestant) wishes post in small family; take out one or two children daily; Blackrock preferred; well recommended.—393, Irish Times Branch Office, Blackrock. 30 E

VIOLINIST (Second) disengaged Wants position in City.—C 631, this office.

WOULD someone kindly give Girl, age 19, start in life, Shorthand, Typist, Cash Girl; highest references.—C 605, this office.

WANTED—Trustworthy Person desires position; would not mind light housework, or attend shop; highly recommended. Apply Box 55, Lynch's Advertising Service, D'Olier Chambers, Dublin. 30 C

YOUNG Lady wishes to hear of vacancy in Office as Shorthand Typist; two and half years' training; small salary to start.—678, Irish Times Branch Office, Ranelagh. 27 C

YOUNG Protestant Lady, three years' experience General Drapery, wishes to hear of vacancy; excellent references. Apply L. Lambe, Aughrim, Co. Wicklow. 29 B

YOUNG Man, with good experience as Warehouseman and Storekeeper, wishes to hear of situation; can be highly recommended.—C 647, this office. 30 C

YOUNG Man desires position as Assistant to Grocery and Bar in Provincial Town; good references.—C 494, this office. 30 E

WELL educated young Lady, three years' bank experience, desires Office or Secretarial post.—C 610, this office. 30 E

YOUNG girl desires training as Mother's Help; well recommended.—C 585, this office.

MALE SERVANTS WANTED.

GENERAL, good gardener, milker, Wanted; house, vegetables, milk, 27/- weekly; near Dublin. Address "Z 911, Gardener," this office. 26 B

GROOM Wanted immediately, do hunters, ride schooling; indoor.—Langan, Greenore, Kilsallaghan, Co. Dublin. 28 B

MARRIED Couple, do all Housework for single gentleman, County Meath; copies discharge. Address "Z 904, Couple," this office. 26 B

RABBIT Trappers Wanted, with or without own gear; competent men. Address "Z 972, Rabbits," this office. 28 B

RABBIT Trapper Wanted; terms sevenpence pair.—Gunning, Bay, Athlone. 30 E

WANTED, superior Protestant Lad, quiet habits, do House and Table Work; single gentleman; quiet country place; state moderate wage. Address "Z 902, Lad," this office. 26 B

WANTED, Under Keeper, County Cavan; state age, religion, wages expected (house can be supplied), and send copies references, to T. W. Daly, Estate Office, Cavan. 26 B

WANTED, young Man; milk, drive, gardening; state age and wages.—C 694, this office.

STEWARDS AND GARDENERS WANTED.

GARDENER Wanted—Will any lady or gentleman recommend a good Jobbing Gardener? required two days a week, Palmerston Park vicinity.—C 693, this office.

MARRIED Couple Wanted immediately (indoor), five miles from Dublin; Wife Cook General, Man gardening, generally useful; £50; send copies of references.—C 475, this office. 27 C

MALE SERVANTS DISENGAGED.

FARM Labourer disengaged; good references.—C 645, this office.

FARMER'S Son, married, understands care of cattle and sheep, can do all farm work. Address "Z 1009, Man," this office.

HOTEL and Restaurant Officials and Servants Wanted and seeking Employment will be found under special heading following Situations Vacant. T

HERD, or Herd Yardman, married, requires position; Wife understands dairy; both expert milkers; or would go General Man, nice place. Address "Z 927, Herd," this office. 27 C

HERD, General Man, seeks employment; well recommended. Address "Z 1002, Herd," this office.

LAD, under ten stone, seeks situation; can ride schooling; thoroughbreds preferred; excellent references. Address "Z 1006, Lad," this office. 30 E

MARRIED Man requires situation, care cart farm, generally useful; Wife care lodge, etc.—94, Wilde's Office, Bray. 29 D

RESPECTABLE Man wishes situation as Hall Porter or Inside Work; good reference.—C 691, this office.

RESPECTABLE Country Boy wishes situation; can drive, milk, or garden work; highly recommended; or indoor. Apply O'Brien, Briscreen, Gurteen.

MALE SERVANTS CONTINUED.

RESPECTABLE Farmer's Son seeks situation; understands the care of stock, would do plain gardening, or would work in business house, understands bar and bottling; state terms; can be highly recommended. Address "Z 1012, Man," this office. 30 C

STEWARDS AND GARDENERS DISENGAGED.

GARDENER, all branches; well recommended; R.C.; age 35.—J. B., 151 Drumcondra road, Dublin. 28 B

GARDENER—Experienced young married Man wants situation; strict T.T.; highly recommended.—Gardener, Wilde's Office, Bray. 29 D

GARDENER has two days to spare weekly; Protestant.—C 703, this office. 30 E

GARDENER, thoroughly experienced, drive motor; excellent references.—R O 988, Irish Times Branch Office, Rathmines. 30 E

LAND Steward seeks situation, thoroughly competent all branches stock, tillage, machinery, etc., disengaged when suited. Address "Z 900, Steward," this office. 26 B

LADY will recommend Gardener, good all round man; R.C.; can milk if required; married, no incumbrance. Apply Miss Stewart, 46 Sydney avenue, Blackrock, Dublin. 27 C

DOMESTICS WANTED.

WANTED, quiet, Protestant Widow, Working Housekeeper or General; good plain cook, fowl, small dairy; family one; quiet country place; state moderate wage. Address "Z 903, Housekeeper," this office. 26 B

WANTED, Girl, 15, to Light Range Fire, Help Lady in Work.—C 493, this office.

VACANCIES FOR SERVANTS.

There are many vacancies in the REGISTRY of the "IRISH TIMES" for all classes of Trained and Untrained Servants. Good wages offered. No fee charged. MATRON can recommend comfortable Homes where Servants can stay while waiting for situations. T

SERVANTS' REGISTRY,
31 WESTMORELAND STREET, DUBLIN.
HOURS 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. for Servants. 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. for Ladies. Saturdays, 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. T

COOKS AND DAIRYMAIDS WANTED.

COOK General Wanted, smart, clean girl (R.C.); good house, Six Counties; care dairy and fowl. Address (copies, wages expected), "Z 914, Cook," this office. 26 B

COOK General Wanted (Irish preferred), two in family and child of 4; two maids kept; Irish doctor's house, near London. Address "Z 963, Cook General," this office. 27 B

GOOD Protestant Cook required immediately for country, Co. Meath; must understand small dairy and fowl; kitchenmaid kept. Reply "Z 918, Cook," this office. 26 B

WANTED for Carlow, good Cook General, R.C.; small family; wages £30 £35; send copies. Address "Z 966, Cook," this office. 27 D

WANTED, excellent Cook; kitchenmaid kept. Reply, giving age and wages required, Mrs. Moorhead, Chanter Hill, Enniskillen. 27 C

WANTED, a thoroughly trained Cook General, 25 to 30 years, for business house in city; wages £28; good home, country girl.—C 537, this office. 29 D

WANTED at once, Cook, thorough knowledge, for Marple, Cheshire; good salary for capable person. Reply at once, C 625, this office. 30 E

WANTED, a Protestant Cook, where two maids kept, for November 15. Apply, with reference, to Miss Lyle, The Red House, Coleraine. 30 C

WANTED, Cook General and House Parlourmaid for England, small family; wages £40, £30.—391, Irish Times Branch Office, Blackrock.

GENERALS WANTED.

AN experienced superior General Maid Wanted for a Doctor's House, country; know all housework, plain cook; three in family; no washing; small house; some help given; state wages, age, and good references.—Lancaster, Hill of Down, Co. Meath. 27 D

AN experienced Protestant General Wanted, Pembroke district; small family; plain cooking, no washing or ironing.—C 533, this office. 30 C

EXPERIENCED young country General Wanted.—Beechfield House, Clontarf. 27 C

EXPERIENCED General Wanted; good discharges. Apply Mrs. Coleman, 4 S. C. road. 28 D

GOOD General Servant Wanted; family two; £22; send copies.—Rectory, Batterstown, Meath. 27 C

GENERAL Wanted, about 19 years. Apply, with references, after 5 o'clock, 181 Rathgar road. 29 B

GENERAL Servant Wanted at once; must be fond of children. References and wages expected to Mrs. J. M. Poots, Newtownards, Co. Down. 30 D

GENERAL Maid required; comfortable plain cook; good appearance; wages £36. Apply after 2 o'clock, 66 Belmont avenue, Donnybrook.

IRISH Lady (living in England) requires good General; must be good cook; only two in family; good outings; fare paid; wages £36. Reply Mrs. C., "Carthona," Fleet, Hants, England. 30 X

STRONG General, for family two; comfortable home; wages £24. Call 19 Eaton square, Monkstown.

SMART young General Wanted; country girl preferred.—Bail, 1 Auburn road, Donnybrook.

WANTED, a young Girl to train as General; a girl without home, well recommended (R.C.); will suit. Address "Z 941, Girl," this office. 27 C

WANTED, reliable General; able to cook; good houseworker.—5 Belgrave Park, Rathmines.

WANTED, well recommended young General Servant for Sydney Parade; plain cooking; wages £24.—C 674, this office.

WANTED, smart young General; plain cooking—"Ivanhoe," Westfield road, Harold's Cross.

WANTED, young General; good papers; no cooking; must be neat and clean.—3 Harcourt terrace, off Adelaide road.

WANTED immediately, smart, young girl as General. Call, after six o'clock, 3 Florence terrace, Appian Way.

WANTED, young, experienced General, for Sandhill; well recommended. Meet Lady, Irish Times Registry Office, Wednesday, 1 o'clock.

WANTED for Rathgar, good General; early riser, good worker; must have satisfactory references.—C 615, this office. 30 B

LOWEST DUBLIN RETAIL PRICES.

Tea (Good Quality)	2/6 per lb.
(Cheaper Quality)	1/8 per lb.
Bread	5½d. per 2lb. loaf.
Butter (Creamery)	1/11 per lb.
(Farmers')	1/8 per lb.
Milk	8d. per quart.
Eggs	2/6 per doz.
Sugar (Granulated)	5½d. per lb.
Stout (Bottled)	6½d. per bottle.
(Draught)	1/- per pint.
Porter	8d. per pint.
Potatoes	9d. & 10d. per stone.
Beef—Lap	9d. per lb.
Boneless Shoulder	1/- per lb.
Leg	1/- per lb.
Rib Steak	1/1 per lb.
Ribs	1/4 per lb.
Sirloin	1/8 per lb.
Mutton—Leg	1/6 per lb.
Shoulder	1/6 per lb.
Breasts and Necks	1/- per lb.
Bacon—Irish—Shanks	1/- per lb.
Best Rashers	2/- per lb.
Imported Hams	1/3 per lb.
Pork—Bacon Pork	1/6 per lb.
Poultry—Chickens and Ducks	1/4 to 1/6 per lb.
Turkeys	1/9 per lb.
Margarine	5½d. to 1/- per lb.
Cheese—Colonial	1/3 per lb.
English Cheddar	1/8 per lb.
Flour	2/8 per stone.
Oatmeal	3/- per stone.
Coal—Kitchen	44/- per ton, cash.
Wigan and Whitehaven	49/- per ton, cash.
Orrell	52/- per ton, cash.
Gas—Slot Meter	8/1 1-5d. per 1,000 cubic feet.
Ordinary Meter	6/9 per 1,000 cubic feet.
Paraffin Oil	1/6 per gallon.
Candles	1/3 per 3lb. packet.
Starch—Foreign	4d. per lb.
Irish and English	8d. per lb.

DOMESTICS CONTINUED.

WANTED, General, to train or partly trained.—40 Belgrave square, Rathmines.

WANTED for Blackrock, good General; young, Protestant; plain cooking, no washing; good help given; four in family; good references; wages £26.—C 690, this office.

WANTED, experienced young General; well recommended; good plain cook and laundress. Apply to-day and to-morrow, 22 Fitzwilliam terrace, Dartry road.

WANTED, experienced General, business house, suburbs; good reference essential; wages £25.—C 612, this office.

WANTED, good General; plain cooking; help given; fond of children; nurse kept; wages £25-£30.—Apply Byrne, Mount Haigh, Kingstown. 30 E

WANTED, good plain Cook General; another servant kept; must be 30 or over; wages £28 to £30.—Dale's Registry, Enniscorthy.

WANTED, General Servant; good cook; family 4; Wellington road; send copies references, full particulars.—707, Irish Times Branch Office, Baggot st. Bridge.

WANTED, superior General, immediately; Protestant; small family. Apply, before 11 or after 7 o'clock, 19 Morehampton road. 30 E

WANTED as General, respectable country Girl for country town; small family; no cooking; small washing; state wages. Address "Z 1014, General," this office. 30 E

YOUNG General Wanted; must be well recommended. Call between 3 and 5, "Iona," 30 Oaklands Park, Ballsbridge.

HOUSE AND PARLOURMAIDS WANTED.

AN experienced House Parlourmaid Wanted, vicinity Fitzwilliam square, £36 £38; long references; send copies.—C 685, this office.

HOUSE Parlourmaid Wanted, London suburb, family two; comfortable home; wages £30-£35.—5 Wild wood road, Golders Green, London, N.W. 6. 26 B

HOUSE Parlourmaid or General Wanted, Aylesbury road; R.C., young, obliging; family four; £30-£24; interview arranged.—C 570, this office. 30 C

WANTED, experienced Housemaid (Protestant) for England, within 15 miles of London; good wages given and fare paid. Address "Z 954, Housemaid," this office. 27 B

WANTED, experienced young House Parlourmaid for North of England, to go with Cook General; must have good references. Apply in person immediately, Matron, Irish Times Registry Office. 30 C

WANTED, House Parlourmaid; well recommended; wages £24.—Mrs. Balmey, Lucan. 30 C

NURSES WANTED.

AGENT for NURSES, MAIDS, and ATTENDANTS. Miss Dollinghan Todd, 5 Grafton st., Dublin. Interviews daily. Tel.—No. 5958.

NURSE Wanted, to take entire charge one baby, two years good home, comfortable home; West of Ireland. Address "Z 975, Nurse," this office. 29 D

DOMESTICS CONTINUED.

WANTED, experienced Nurse, child 8 months; good wages.—C 646, this office.

WANTED daily young girl as Children's Maid, £18, N.C. road; must be recommended.—C 669, this office.

DOMESTICS DISENGAGED.

A RESPECTABLE woman wishes Daily Work for a few hours. Apply Matron, Irish Times Registry Office.

AT Miss Greenfield's (Singer's), Grafton st.—Cooks, Cook Generals, Parlour, H. P. Maids, H'maids, Nurses.

COOKS (First Class, permanent, temporary; Cook Gens., H'keepers; excellent refs.—Blackwood's, Lr. Mount st.

CHARWOMAN, disengaged, wishes two or three days' work; highly recommended.—Evans, 51 York st. 30 E

GOOD Cooks, H. P'maids, Generals, Nurses, Butlers, as keepers.—Mulpeter's Registry, 11 S. Anne st. 30 C

RESPECTABLE Woman wants morning work; recommended.—702, Irish Times Branch Office, Baggot st. Bridge.

TWO Sisters (Protestants) wish to be trained for house and kitchen work, in same house if possible. Co. Wicklow preferred; clergyman's and other reference. Address "Z 1008, Sisters," this office.

USEFUL Ladies' Maid just disengaged, Protestant; good needlewoman, packer, and traveller; highest recommendations.—C 681, this office. 30 D

WANTED, two or three Day Weekly, Kingstown, Glenageary; understands all Housework; highest reference.—C 297, this office. 27 B

WANTED, post as Working Housekeeper in Hotel; take charge stores, carve, assist generally; Protestant.—C 543, this office.

YOUNG Woman want couple days' Housework weekly, recommended.—701, Irish Times Branch Office, Baggot st. Bridge.

COOKS AND DAIRYMAIDS DISENGAGED.

AN excellent Cook and House Parlourmaid disengaged; go together; entire work house, also Laundry; £30, £24.—C 532, this office. 26 D

A GOOD Plain Cook, good references; also young House Parlourmaid, go as friends, small family; city or suburbs preferred. Address "Z 1011, Cook," this office.

COOK General and House Parlourmaid want situations together; both well recommended.—Glenville, Milltown road, Donnybrook, Dublin. 19 S

COOK and House Parlourmaid, sisters, R.C.; experienced; highest reference; town or country.—C 654, this office. 30 C

COOK General; good plain cook, small washing; highly recommended.—C 595, this office.

DOMESTICS CONTINUED.

COOK General; plain cooking; would go House Parlourmaid; recommended.—C 600, this office.

COOK General; good cook, small washing; city; highly recommended.—C 597, this office. 30 C

EXPERIENCED Cook disengaged; thoroughly understands her duties; highly recommended.—Cook, 7 Islington avenue, Sandycove.

GOOD Plain Cook, disengaged; long papers; city preferred. Seen 12 Duke street.

GOOD Plain Cook General; can be well recommended.—703, Irish Times Branch Office, Baggot st. Bridge.

LADY recommends Cook (excellent), or Housekeeper; capable manager, trustworthy.—H., 65 Lower Clanbrassil street.

YOUNG Cook General, small, private house; small family.—C 594, this office.

GENERALS DISENGAGED.

EXPERIENCED General, or Cook General, business or private house.—S. Byrne, 3 Camden place.

GENERAL; plain cooking, small washing, early riser; well recommended.—C 587, this office.

GENERAL, R.C., in quiet family; wages not so much object.—704, Irish Times Branch Office, Baggot st. Bridge.

RESPECTABLE Person, would go General or Cook General in small family; satisfactory reference; city preferred. Address 6 Maypil Cottages.

RESPECTABLE General disengaged; good plain cook; good papers; suburbs preferred.—C 670, this office. 30 E

SUPERIOR, steady General; good plain cook; small washing; fully experienced; well recommended; city, suburbs.—C 613, this office. 30 C

YOUNG General; some experience; small family; city, suburbs.—A. C., 27 Charlotte street.

YOUNG General; small family; city; good references. C 586, this office.

YOUNG country girl desires training as General; good references.—C 591, this office.

YOUNG General disengaged; North side preferred; good references.—C 590, this office.

YOUNG girl desires training as General; small family; recommended.—C 592, this office.

HOUSE AND PARLOURMAIDS DISENGAGED.

AN experienced House Parlourmaid disengaged; country or Dublin. Interview, 3 o'clock, 40 Donnybrook.

EXPERIENCED Parlourmaid disengaged; age 30; wages £38; country preferred. Address "Z 893, Maid," this office. 26 B

EXPERIENCED Parlourmaid seeks situation; would go House Parlourmaid in small family; highly recommended; long discharges. Address "Z 934, Housemaid," this office. 27 C

HOUSEMAID, experienced girl, wishes engagement; London experience; well recommended. Address "Z 1005, Maid," this office.

PROTESTANT young House Parlourmaid disengaged; satisfactory papers; England preferred; recommended.—C 391, this office. 27 C

P'MAID (excellent) disengaged; also H. P'maid, H'maid.—Blackwood's, 41 Lower Mount st.

YOUNG Housemaid disengaged; private house, city, suburbs.—C 593, this office.

NURSES DISENGAGED.

EXPERIENCED Children's Maid disengaged next week; R.C.; recommended; help housework and baby's washing. Apply to S. Nolan, c/o Mrs. O'Donohoe, Grand Canal quay, Dublin.

RELIABLE Nurse, one child; daily or otherwise; highly recommended.—C 598, this office.

THOROUGHLY experienced Infants' Nurse; trustworthy; well recommended; go anywhere.—Nurse, 12 Duke st.

YOUNG Girl to be trained, or mind a baby.—108 Hollyfield Buildings, Upper Rathmines.

KITCHEN, LAUNDRY, ETC., DISENGAGED.

PRIVATE Washing done at rear 75 Lower Leeson st.

YOUNG Kitchenmaid just disengaged; plain cooking; suburbs; well recommended.—C 586, this office.

SPECIFIC ARTICLES.

AT KELLY'S, 48 FLEET STREET. Engagement Rings—A magnificent selection of Secondhand Single Stone, Two, Three, Five Stone Gipsy, Marquise, and Cluster Rings, set with Diamonds, Emeralds, Rubies, Sapphires, and Pearls, etc., of the finest quality, brilliancy, and colour. T

AT Crotty's, Ltd.—Elastic Hosiery for Ladies and Gents, best quality, at retired prices; special department for ladies.—62 Grafton st., Dublin. 8 31

AT Crotty's, Ltd.—Hot Water Bags, best quality, at lowest prices; all guaranteed for 2 years.—62 Grafton st., Dublin. 8 31

AT Crotty's, Ltd.—Footballs, size 5, guaranteed hand sewn, from 10/6.—62 Grafton st., Dublin. 8 31

AT Crotty's, Ltd.—Football Jerseys, Hotspur, Celt, All Black, etc., from 11/6.—62 Grafton st., Dublin. 8 31

AT Crotty's, Ltd.—Juvenile Footballs 3/-, Hurleys 6d., Hurley Balls 1/-, Hockey Sticks 6/6, Hockey Balls 1/-.—62 Grafton st., Dublin. 8 31

AT Crotty's—Indoor Games, Table Tennis, Ring Boards, Billiards, Badminton, Chess, House Cards, etc.—62 Grafton st., Dublin. 8 31

AT Crotty's, Ltd.—Indoor Games, Table Tennis, King Developers, 8/6; Bar Bells 1/6; Running shoes, spiked, 13/6 per pair; Handballs, 1/-; Football Jerseys, 5/-; Knicks, 2/6.—62 Grafton st., Dublin. 8 31

AT Crotty's, Ltd.—Boxing, Golf, Football, and all Sports equipment.—62 Grafton st., Dublin. 8 31

AT Crotty's, Ltd.—Waterproof Sheeting, special quality, 3/3, 4/-, 4/9 per yard.—62 Grafton st., Dublin. 8 31

AT Crotty's, Ltd.—School Satchels, canvas from 3/6, leather from 8/6.—62 Grafton st., Dublin. 8 31

ALL Travelling Goods, Bags, Suit Cases, Trunks, Straps, Holdalls, Fishing Sundries, Golf, Footballs.—William A. Moore, 7 Aston quay, Dublin. 17 X

BABY Carriages—Cost of materials having fallen, our prices are down again; many carriages to half last year's prices. If you cannot call and inspect them write for illustrated catalogue. Cots and Blankets also down to half prices.—Baby Carriage Co., 129 Stephen's Green, Dublin. 26 B

ARTICLES CONTINUED.

CHEAPEST Crockery—Cups free, few dozen, every order; Bowls, Plates, Jugs, Mugs, Dishes, Teapots; markets, hawkers, beginners, ex-Army, Navy men; Mixed Lots, 42/6; Crate, 25 16/3, big variety, free Tea Set; Crate, £12, with 57/6 free crockery; Marked 666 Articles, 27 15/-; makes 67 profit; lump 75 pieces, 21/-; 1,000, 25/-; 2,200 40/-; satisfaction advice "How to Sell"; lists free.—Regent Pottery, Princess street, Star Bank, Fenton, Staffs. T

ELECTRIC Urn, 3 divisions, with tap to each, in perfect order, for Sale, £10.—C 475, this office. 27 C

FIRE Logs delivered city, 45/- ton; suburbs, 42/6.—Clare, Sawmills, Foxrock. 24 S

FOR Sale, Oak Desk, 5 ft. long, fitted 3 drawers, in perfect condition, suitable any office, price £5. Apply Singer Sewing Machine Co., Ltd., 69 Grafton street. 28 D

FOR Sale, various shades, quantity Liquid Paint, half gallon and one gallon Tins; also Distemper, 7lb. Tins in stock, Dublin; will be sold cheap for cash. C 657, this office. 30 E

FOR Sale, Fittings for Butcher's Stall, Scales, Weights, Block, Carrier Bicycle, etc.—M 43, Irish Times Branch Office, Kingstown.

GAS Fire, 10 jets. Seen, between 5 and 7, 33 Windsor road, Rathmines.

HOME Made Jams, Pickles, and Bottled Fruit for Sale, moderate.—Landscape, Dundrum, Dublin. 26 D

LARGE Pram for Sale, latest model, wants repair.—55 Upper Beechwood avenue, Ranelagh.

LADY'S Expanding Wristlet Gold Filled Watch, new, bargain, 25/-; also Gent's Silver Pocket, 32/-.—C 662, this office.

MANGLING and Washing Machines—Large Stocks, best makes.—The Dairy Engineering Co. of Ireland, Ltd., 21-22 Bachelor's Walk, Dublin. T

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DUBLIN SHIPPING REPORT.

Barometer.—29.70. Wind and Weather—Northerly wind, fresh breeze; overcast.

Coastwise Arrivals.—Slieve Donard, from Holyhead, with goods; Somerset Coast, from London, with goods; Indorita (motor), from Belfast, with sheet iron.

Coastwise Departures.—Slievemore, Slieve Donard, for Holyhead, with goods; Lady Wicklow, for Liverpool, with goods; Yarrow, for Silloth, with goods; Maple, for Glasgow, with goods; Brier, for Heysham, with goods; Patricia, for Cardiff, with goods; Clareisland, for Manchester, with porter.

LLOYD'S MAIL NEWS.

ABINSI, from Lagos, arrived Mersey 30th.
VIRGILIA and PRESIDENT GARFIELD, from New York, and WARFIELD, from Calcutta, arrived Gravesend 29th.
AKABO, Duala for Liverpool, arrived Dakar 27th.
ALBANIA, from Montreal, arrived Mersey 30th.
ARAGUAYA, from Southampton, arr. Montevideo 29th.
BAMPTON CASTLE, for London, left East London 28.
BATJAN, for Sourabaya, and VALACIA, for Baltimore, left Gravesend 28th.
BOLIVIAN, for Liverpool, left Savannah 29th.
BRUYERE, from Buenos Ayres, and AUSONIA, from New York, arrived Mersey 30th.
BULLA, Sydney for London, and MARTABAN, Rangoon for Southampton, arrived Suez 30th.
CAMITO, from Jamaica, arrived Avonmouth 29th.
CARLOW CASTLE, from London, arr. Port Sudan 29.
CELTIC, from New York, arrived Mersey 29th.
CHINA, for London, left Bombay 28th.
DARRO, for Liverpool, left Montevideo 28th.
DOMALA, London for Calcutta, arrived Madras 26th.
EKARI, for Liverpool, left Lagos 27th.
GREENBRIAR, from Kingston, arr. Garston 29th.
HOMERIC, from New York, arrived Southampton 29th.
INGOMA, from Demerara; MAHANA, from Auckland; PALERMO, from Australia; and SULIMA, from Lagos, arrived Hull 28th.
KARMALA, from London, arrived Singapore 29th.
LAHORE, Calcutta for London, arrived Suez 29th.
MEGANTIC, from Liverpool, arrived Montreal 28th.
MONTCLARE, for Liverpool, left Montreal 27th.
METAGAMA, from Montreal, arrived Clyde 29th.
MALWA, London for Bombay, left Marseilles 28th.
MACEDONIA, Shanghai for London, left Marseilles 29.
MANTUA, Kobe for London, arrived Singapore 29th.
NEBRASKA, for England, left Vancouver 27th.
NICOYA, for Teneriffe, left Mersey 28th.
NITONIAN, from Boston, arrived Manchester 29th.
NAGOYA, London for Calcutta, and MOREA, London for Bombay, called Aden 29th.
OXFORDSHIRE, from Rangoon, arrived Gravesend 30.
PATANI, Africa for England, arrived Las Palmas 29th.
REGINA, for Liverpool, left Montreal 28th.
SARTHE, for Rio de Janeiro, left Swansea 28th.
SYRIA, for Southampton, left Port Said 28th.
TAINUI, from London, arrived Wellington 29th.
TREBANTHA, for Port Said, left Barry 28th.
TYRRHENIA, from Liverpool, arrived New York 29th.

Cunard Line.

ALBANIA arrived Liverpool at noon on Monday from Montreal.
AUSONIA arrived Liverpool at noon on Monday from New York and Boston.
AQUITANIA, due Southampton at 4 p.m. on Monday from New York.
CARONIA arrived New York on Sunday from Hamburg.
MAURETANIA, for New York, 179 miles west of Bishop's Rock at noon on Sunday.
TYRRHENIA arrived New York at noon on Sunday from Liverpool.

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YESTERDAY'S COURT CASES.

BIG NEWSPAPER CONTRACTS.

£200,000 CLAIMED.

DUBLIN COMPANY'S APPEAL.

In the Court of Appeal for Southern Ireland, before the Lord Chief Justice, Lord Justice Ronan, and Lord Justice O'Connor, the cases of Fernstrom v. the *Freeman's Journal*, Ltd., and Traeslibert v. same came on for hearing by way of appeal for new trials. The actions were both brought to recover large sums of money from the company on foot of contracts in respect of the supply of paper, and the trials resulted in verdicts against the company. To a large extent both actions were similar, if not almost identical, but it was found advisable that they should be heard separately. The case of Fernstrom was taken first, the defendants being the applicants or appellants.

Mr. S. L. Brown, K.C.; Mr. Dickie, K.C., and Mr. Moloney (instructed by Messrs. Miley and Miley) appeared for the *Freeman's Journal*, Ltd.

Mr. Serjeant Hanna, Mr. FitzGibbon, K.C., and Mr. Dockrell (instructed by Messrs. D. and T. Fitzgerald) appeared for the plaintiffs and respondents.

Mr. Brown, opening the appeal, explained that the action in this case was brought to recover damages for not taking delivery of large quantities of paper, and the claim was put at £200,000. In the second case the amount of damages claimed was the same; but the contracts were separate. The plaintiff in this case was a manufacturer of paper, and also an agent in London for the sale of paper to people who wanted it, and the defendants were the *Freeman's Journal* Company, which was incorporated in December, 1919, for the purpose of acquiring and taking over the business of the former *Freeman's Journal*, Ltd., Company. The capital of the present new company was £100,000. There were 97,500 £1 Shares—47,500 Preference Shares, and 50,000 Ordinary Shares, fully paid up. It was a two men company, the only shareholders and directors being Mr. Hamilton Edwards and Mr. Martin Fitzgerald. The company in that respect was peculiar. As a matter of arrangement between the two the commercial or business side and the management of the undertaking were in the hands of Mr. Hamilton Edwards, and the running of the paper and its policy were for convenience entrusted to Mr. Martin Fitzgerald, who resided permanently in Dublin, Mr. Hamilton Edwards residing mostly in London.

GROUNDS OF OBJECTION.

What they sought for here was an order setting aside the verdict and judgment entered for the plaintiff on 3rd March last by Mr. Justice Dodd, who tried the case, with a special jury, and entering judgment for the defendants on the ground of misdirection and non-direction by the learned judge, and on the ground that at the close of the case he ought, as required by counsel for the defendants, to have left to the jury the question whether the paper, the subject matter of the contract sued on, was purchased by the defendants in the ordinary course of business for the publication of their newspapers, or as a mere speculation, and, further, that the judge ought to have directed the jury on the evidence of the plaintiff that they should find that the paper was purchased by the defendants as a speculation, and that the contract was *ultra vires*, and of no effect.

In the alternative they applied for a new trial on the ground of misdirection and non-direction by the Judge, and on the ground that he misdirected the jury by directing them that implied authority on the part of the defendant, Hamilton Edwards, to enter into the contract sued on could be presumed from previous transactions, and on the ground that the findings of the jury were against evidence and the weight of evidence, and that there was no evidence to go to the jury of express or implied authority on the part of Hamilton Edwards to enter into the contract on behalf of the defendant company, and on the ground of the improper rejection by the Judge of evidence on the part of the defendants that the paper was purchased as a speculation; and also on the ground that the Judge refused to leave to the jury the question whether the paper was purchased in the ordinary course of business for the purpose of the publication of their newspapers, or was purchased by the defendants for the purpose of re-sale and as a speculation, and that if it was so purchased the contract was *ultra vires* and of no effect.

Counsel dealt in detail with the dates on which the offers of the plaintiff were made for the supply of the large quantities of paper the subject matter of the contracts, pointing out that the market for paper fluctuated remarkably. In the autumn of 1919 it was £40 10s. per ton; in January following it rose to £73 per ton. Afterwards it went up to £75 and £77 per ton, and subsequently it fell to something like £16. There were there four contracts, amounting to 7,800 tons, of which the board approved, the price of which was £429,000. The next contract was for 3,000 tons, and that was the contract which is the subject of this action.

Lord Justice Ronan (to Mr. Brown)—Is it your contention that these were not contracts which a newspaper company would enter into at all for the purposes of its publications, but that this was a matter of speculation entered into on a wild market?

Mr. Brown—Yes, and that they were entered into *ultra vires* and without authority under the circumstances.

THE CONTRACTS.

Dealing with the minutes of the board of directors at their meetings, at which negotiations between the plaintiff and Mr. Hamilton Edwards were confirmed, Mr. Brown said that they had no previous knowledge with reference to some of the contracts. Mr. Fitzgerald did not know anything about the contract for the 3,000 tons until he communicated with Mr. Hamilton Edwards in Mountjoy Prison when they had been arrested under martial law.

Replying to Lord Justice O'Connor, counsel said that it would be necessary for the two of them to sit together to form a board; and, in reply to Lord Justice Ronan, he admitted that Mr. Hamilton Edwards had been properly appointed manager.

Having read the correspondence that passed between the parties, Mr. Brown admitted that these four contracts had been brought before the board meeting.

Lord Justice O'Connor pointed out that according to the correspondence and minutes, as he understood, Mr. Hamilton Edwards was purporting not merely to negotiate on behalf of the company, but to conclude contracts for them.

Mr. Brown—I do not think there is any evidence of that at all. He had no authority to conclude anything or to bind the board at all. It was the board that had that power.

Lord Justice Ronan—The directors?

Mr. Brown—The board.

Lord Justice Ronan agreed that on the evidence there was no formal confirmation or approval of this 3,000 tons contract on which this action was based.

The arguments had not concluded at the rising of the Court.

DEAD POLICEMAN'S MONEY.

KILLED IN AN AMBUSH.

In the Chancery Division yesterday, before the Master of the Rolls, in the matter of the estate of James McElhill, deceased,

Mr. Maguire (instructed by Messrs. Maguire and Herbert) applied for an order presuming the death of Denis McElhill, son of James McElhill. The latter was a head constable in the Royal Irish Constabulary, and was killed in an ambush at Kilbeggan, Co. Westmeath, in June, 1921. He left two sons, Denis and Bernard, and one daughter, Mary, and his estate consisted of money in bank, stocks and shares, and some farms of land, the total value being about £2,500. Denis emigrated to America over thirty years ago, and for five years following his departure he wrote regularly to his father, after which communication with him ceased altogether. Diligent inquiries had been made as to his whereabouts, but without success, and it was now presumed that he was dead. The family came from Shanaghy, Co. Tyrone, and there were only three next-of-kin.

The Master of the Rolls said that as there was a considerable amount to be dealt with he would direct advertisements for Denis to be inserted in various American newspapers.

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AUCTIONEER'S LOAN.

A PROMISSORY NOTE.

At Nisi Prius yesterday, before Mr. Justice Samuels without a jury, James F. Halfpenny, auctioneer, Ardee, Co. Louth, sought to recover £462 from Mrs. Bridget Mullen, and her son and daughter, Vincent and Catherine Mullen, of Arthurstown, for money advanced to the defendants in anticipation of the sale of land, of which Mrs. Mullen was tenant. The action was based upon a joint and several promissory note. The defendants, in their defence, denied that they had received the money, and said that if a promissory note was given it was given for no consideration.

There was no appearance in Court for the defendants.

Mr. Justice Samuels gave the plaintiff judgment for the sum claimed, with interest and costs.

Mr. Tobias (instructed by Mr. John Quinn) appeared for the plaintiff.

FIRING A REVOLVER.

CHARGE AGAINST A STUDENT.

A respectably-dressed young man named George Gray, aged 21 years, described as an engineering student, of Sans Souci, 7 Seafort parade, Williamstown, was remanded in custody until to-morrow, charged with (1) unlawfully discharging a revolver while standing in a gateway at the back of 63 Rockwood, Williamstown, between 10 and 11 p.m. on the 21st October, to the public danger; and (2) having a Colt .45 revolver illegally in his possession when arrested on the 27th October in a publichouse at Williamstown by Detective Officer O'Connor, Oriel House.

It appeared that when charged and cautioned the accused denied the offence of firing the revolver, and gave a detailed account of his movements on the night in question.

Mr. Drennan, who appeared for the defence, offered bail for the accused, stating that he could offer £500 bail if necessary.

The granting of bail was, however, objected to by the police, and was refused.

A TOY PISTOL.

PUBLICAN WHO WAS NOT INTIMIDATED.

In the Dublin Police Court yesterday, before Mr. Cooper, K.C., Patrick J. Carroll, aged 33 years, of Bride street, was charged by Sergeant Bermingham (32 A) with demanding whiskey from Patrick Brennan, publican, of 102 Bride street, by producing a toy pistol from his pocket and saying that he belonged to the Republican Army.

Mr. Davis, solicitor, prosecuted, and Mr. O'Brien, solicitor, defended.

Mr. Brennan stated that the accused came to his house on the date in question and stated that he belonged to the Republican Army. He produced from his pocket what appeared to be a revolver and demanded whiskey, which, however, was not supplied to him.

Sergeant Bermingham stated that when arrested the accused handed over a toy pistol and made a statement in the course of which he said that he belonged to no political organisation, that he only asked the publican for "something to warm him," and left the house when ordered out.

Mr. Cooper made an order binding the accused to the peace for two years.

FROM THE LEGAL DIARY.

LAW NOTICES—Tuesday, October 31st, 1922.

HIGH COURT OF APPEAL FOR IRELAND.—To-morrow, 11 o'clock. Appeals for Hearing—Boggan v. Motor Union Insce. Co.; Walsh v. A. and B. Taxis; Mary Keane, a bankrupt (appeal of the assignees in Bankruptcy); same (appeal of Mrs. Mary Keane); estate of Wm. H. H. Messy, owner, A. M. Leeson, petr.; Loughnan v. O'Sullivan.

H.M. COURT OF APPEAL IN SOUTHERN IRELAND.—At 11 o'clock. For Hearing. New Trial Motions—Fernstrom v. the "Freeman's Journal," at hearing; Traeslibere v. same; Murphy v. O'Brien; Banco Espanol Del Rio de la Plata v. Neagle; Humphreys v. Wood Milne.

ROLLS COURT.—At Chambers—Evans v. Clements. In Court. Motions—O'Doherty v. Carolan; Allerton v. Allerton; Hughes v. Becker; M'Dermott v. Attorney-General; Pasley v. Pleasants. At Chambers—Brighouse v. Archbishop of Dublin; V. and P. Act, Clarke and Traynor; Browne v. Law Officer of Provisional Government. Wednesday, 8th November. Actions—Buttimer v. M'Givern; M'Givern v. Buttimer; O'Rourke v. Nagle.

MR. JUSTICE POWELL'S COURT.—Actions (to fix dates of hearing)—M'Neice v. Russell; Bourke v. Kelly; Quins v. O'Neill; Dillon v. Clyne; Gurevich v. Rotma; Cullen v. Mallon; Mackey v. Mackey; Co.'s Acts and Hunter; Harte v. Larkin; Guilfoyle v. Kilkenny Woollen Mills. At Chamber—Curran v. O'Brien; Paul and Vincent v. M'Cormack; same v. same; M'Cullough v. M'Cullough; Mackey v. Mackey; Byrne v. Byrne; Listowel and Ballybunion Rly. Co. and Rlys. Co's Act, 1867; Kiernan v. M'Gauran; Halley v. O'Brien; Curran v. O'Brien. In Court. Motion—Beauchamp and Orr v. Crowley.

TAXING OFFICE.—At 24 Upper Merrion street Master Kilbride, 11 o'clock—Rapmund v. Rushe, A. E. Donnelly; Darlington, minors, P. J. O'Flaherty and Son. Master Denning, 11 o'clock—A person of unsound mind, Giltrap and Lambert; M'Dermott v. Attorney-General, A. Lane Joynt; same v. same, J. O'Connor and Co.; University College to M'Donald, J. J. MacDonald. Master Macnamara, 11 o'clock. Exparte Taxations—Thom's trusts, J. R. Byrne; Ambrose to Bord, Collis and Ward; White v. White, Casey, Clay, and Collins; Dunne v. Hagan, Huggard and Brennan; Corcoran to Shaw, C. C. Shaw; Cahill to Reddy, C. J. Reddy and Son.

LAND JUDGES.—At 23 Upper Merrion street. Mr. Dickinson, Examiner, at 11 o'clock—Hon. Catherine Plunket, vouch.

KING'S BENCH DIVISION.—At King's Inns, Henrietta street. In King's Bench 1, 11 o'clock. Crown Side—Exparte Motions. Civil Side—Exparte Motions. On Notice—Zimmer v. Nicholson; Cahill and Co. v. the Gael Co-Operative Publishing Co.; Verschoyle v. Atkins; Little v. M'Cusker; Owen and anor. v. Borlan and others.

TRIALS BY JURY. Before Mr. Justice Pim. In Nisi Prius Court (the Lecture Hall), at 11 o'clock. County Appeal—J. W. and D. Martin v. Philip Smith, applt. City Appeals—Wm. R. Oliver v. Wallace Bros., applts.; Richard J. Doran, a minor, by Richard Doran, his father and next friend, applt., v. James J. Kelly and Mary Kelly; Patk. Kelly v. Patk. L. Smith, applt.; MacArthur and Co., applts., v. Patk. J. Kenny; Eason and Sons applts., v. Corporation of Dublin, Dublin Co. Council. Before Mr. Justice Samuels. In King's Bench Court No. 2, at 11 o'clock. City Appeals—H.M. Principal Secretary of State for the War Department, applt., v. Midland Great Western Railway Co. of Ireland; Margaret Caraas, applt., v. British and Irish Steam Packet Co.; Patrick Daly v. Woodman, Matheson and Co., applts.; Wm. Shelly, trading as John Shelly v. Joseph Lennses, applt.; Wm. Whitaker Thorpe v. Bridget Hannigan, applt.; Imperial Tobacco Co. (Great Britain and Ireland), applts., v. Corporation of Dublin, Dublin Co. Council; Christine Watson, applt., v. Constance Powell Anderson. The City Special Jurors need not attend until Thursday next. City Common Jurors need not attend until Monday next. Notice to Jurors—Owing to the present difficulties of railway travelling, a number of jury cases have been unavoidably postponed. The Jurors, Special and Common, summoned at King's Inns, Henrietta street, are, therefore, requested to pay particular attention to the notices appearing each morning in the Press as to their attendance. For Thursday. City Special—Wilkinson v. Monger (personal injuries). Non-Jury—Hill v. Murray (possession). For Friday. Non-Juries—Kelly v. McKenna (possession); Medeloveto and anor v. Rittenberg (goods sold); Dobbs and ors. v. Mayes and anor. (money had); Wallis v. Chambers and a counter claim (trespass); Goddard v. Lanigan O'Keeffe and a counterclaim (possession); Boles v. Boles (probate).

BANKRUPTCY.—Before the Chief Registrar, at 11 o'clock—Hope, pr. dts., Porter, Morris and Co.; arrangt., do., W. V. Harris; Furer, do., S. G. Rutherford; Dalton, do., J. L. Scallan and Co; do, ac comp, do.

IRISH LAND COMMISSION.—Examiners' Chambers. Before Mr. Dick, K.C. at 11 o'clock—James G. Stannard, E.C. 7318—vch; James McDonnell, C.D.B. 10,219—discharge rulings. Before Mr. Stubbs, at 3 o'clock—J. B. C. Colthurst, E.C. 6894, Warren's superior interest—voch. Before Mr. Wilson, at 11.30 o'clock—H. R. Wood Martin, E.C. 9381—discharge rulings. At 3 o'clock—Incorporated Society, E.C., 8180—discharge rulings and settle schedule. Before Mr. Sullivan, at 11 o'clock—Jane Dunlop, E.C. 6360—settle schedule. At 12 o'clock—F. M. O'Brien, E.C. 7918, discharge rulings. Before Mr. Franks, at 11 o'clock—Baroness Congleton, E.C. 7549. At 3 o'clock—E. C. Lloyd, Davis rent.

BEFORE THE RECORDER.—At 11 o'clock a.m. Ejectments—Flood v. Myers; Ferguson v. Rourke; Hillis v. McGinn; Pasley v. Pasley; Carolan v. Roberts; Local Government Board v. McCaffrey; Hanly v. Dowling; Gannon v. Redmond; Booth v. Leet; Ryder v. Cullen; same v. O'Brien; same v. Murphy; Gregg v. Byrne; St. Columbas College v. Donnelly; Shackleton v. Sheill; Lowry v. McKea; Fagan v. Flanagan; Byrne v. Harbinson; Corporation of Dublin v. Keenan; Hodgins v. McGeugh; Cadden v. Whitty; McNamee v. Wogan; same v. Evans; Maguire v. Bradley; Wilson v. Byrne; same v. Neary; Hayden v. McCann; Hogan v. Tierney; Carbery v. Reddy; Breen v. O'Carroll; Pearson v. Farren; O'Rourke v. Healey; Wills v. Sessons; Nicol Riace v. Thompson; Brown v. Grady; Jones v. Kirkan, Greer and Co.; Roche v. Gilmer; Quinn v. Forde; Murphy v. Kearney; McManus v. Curran; O'Loughlin v. Daly; Pecan-Redmond v. Cullen; Judd v. Manor; McNally v. Clinton and ors.; Irish Industrial Benefit Society v. Walshe; O'Dea v. Page; Gilders v. Keane; Grant v. Murray; Finnegan v. O'Reilly; Roche v. Smith; Cahill v. Long; same v. Murray; Black v. Wharton; Reilly v. Sheehan; Laphan v. Smyth and ors.; Dolan v. Newman; Stafford v. Chapman; Brittain v. Hackett; Halligan v. Murphy; Corporation of Dublin v. O'Doherty; Bord v. Loonis; Murphy v. O'Neill; Keogh v. Smullen; Delany v. Farnan; Corporation of Dublin v. Kidd.

FALL FROM A SCAFFOLD.

LONGFORD MASON'S INJURIES.

Messrs. Hull and Co., building contractors, Dublin, were sued under the Workmen's Compensation Act at Longford Quarter Sessions, by John Bannon, mason, Longford, for injuries received by a fall from a scaffold while engaged at building operations at the National Bank on the 7th April last.

The plaintiff's case was that he fell from the top of the building, but grasped a pole in his descent. A heavy stone, however, fell on his leg, and he was still under medical treatment. His wages were £3 8s. 9d. per week, and after the accident he was paid £1 15s. a week up to July 22, when the defendants offered him light work, which he could not accept.

Dr. Robinson said that when Bannon was discharged from hospital after a month he was not cured. He believed that he was depreciated in the labour market to the extent of 50 per cent.

The defendant's case was that on a medical report Bannon was offered work that would suit him after he left the hospital, but he would not take it.

His Honour said that he considered that Bannon was depreciated in the labour market to the extent of 11s. 6d. a week, and he made an order to that effect.

The trial at Lincoln Assizes of Frank Fowler, in the Market Deeping Shotbridge tragedy, has been fixed for Wednesday.

COMPENSATION CLAIMS.

BILL FOR £50,000.

The following are among the latest claims for compensation received by the Provisional Government:—

The Right Hon. Rowland Allanson Winn, Baron Headley of Ivybridge, St. Margaret's, Twickenham, London—damage to property in Ireland	£50,000
Co. Cavan.	
Robert Brady, Ringfield—personal injury	300
Co. Cork.	
Lewis Cohen, 20 Cook street, Cork—goods taken	119
Co. Dublin.	
C. D. Evans, St. Helen's, Lucan, Co. Dublin—property destroyed	642
Messrs. G. Mooney, 3 Eden quay, Dublin—damage to premises	137
James Murphy, Ringmahon, Blackrock—motor car taken	125
J. J. Healy, 8 Ulster street, Phibsborough, Dublin—motor bicycle seized	115
Benson and Co., 28 Essex street, Dublin—property taken	107
Co. Wicklow.	
The Marquis of Downshire's estate, Blessington—destruction of property	600
Co. Galway.	
T. Finnerty, P. Mannion, M. Finnerty, Killoclogher, Monivea—goods taken (3 claims)	135
Co. Kerry.	
Julia O'Donovan, Killorglin, Tralee—damage to property	10,000
George Hill, Ballynahoulart, Tralee—damage to property	100
Co. Limerick.	
Miss Julia Duhig, 3 Little Ellen street, Limerick—personal injury	500
Co. Louth.	
D. Sheridan, The Tredagh Hotel, Drogheda—damage to property	122
Patrick McKeon, Blackbull, Drogheda—personal injury	100
Co. Roscommon.	
Col. J. Kirkwood, Boyle—Ford car taken	550
Co. Sligo.	
Miss Margaret McDonagh, O'Connell street, Ballymote—motor car taken	232

COLLIDING LORRIES.

MAN FATALLY INJURED.

An inquest was held at Jervis street Hospital, Dublin, yesterday, on Edward Kavanagh, 10 Hanover street, of the Marine Inquiry Department, Portobello Barracks, who died as the result of injuries received in an accident at the North Wall, when two lorries collided.

Mr. Corrigan, State Solicitor, represented the authorities. Mr. A. W. Stirling (Messrs. Sutton and Co.) appeared for the London and North-Western Railway Company.

Dr. Sayers said that Kavanagh had a large wound in the left leg, extending from about an inch below the knee down to the ankle. Both bones of the leg were broken in several places. His right leg was in a similar condition, but the wound was not so large. Following gangrene, one of the legs was amputated. Death was due to shock, following injuries to the legs.

Thomas Kirkpatrick, Lieutenant in the national Army, Portobello, stated he was one of a party coming from the North Wall on Friday in a Crossley tender. When he got a certain distance up the quay his attention was attracted by a motor car, which, he thought, was coming out of a shed, the property of the London and North-Western Railway Company. The driver of the Crossley blew the horn, jammed the brakes, and swerved to the right-hand side of the road to try and avoid the motor lorry. The lorry went across the road, and the two cars collided. The Crossley was on the right side of the road, and the lorry was in an angular position across the road. Kavanagh was sitting in the car at the time. After the collision the witness saw Kavanagh lying on his back on the ground, and it was evident that he was seriously injured. The door of the car near where he was sitting was smashed, he believed, by the radiator or the front wheel of the other car. The Crossley car had lights, but he did not notice any lights on the other car.

To Mr. Stirling—The railway company's lorry was across the road at the time. He thought the left side of the Crossley struck against the right side of the lorry.

Frederick Raynor, driver of the military lorry, having been cautioned by the Coroner, said that he had five years' experience, and never met with an accident until that evening. When 200 yards from the premises of the London and North-Western Railway Company he blew the horn, and when about 65 yards from the scene of the accident he saw the 4-ton lorry stationary, close in on the right-hand side. Subsequently he noticed the car moved around to the left, and he blew the horn three times. When he saw that the driver took no notice he swerved to the right, applied the brakes, and took the car out of gear. As soon as he put on the brakes his car skidded forward, and the front right wheel of the other lorry struck the left side of witness's car, throwing him on the road.

Mr. Stirling—Are we to understand from you that, if your car had not skidded, there would have been no accident? No, sir.

Matthew Flood, porter, employed by the London and North-Western Railway Company, stated that he first saw the military lorry when the horn was sounded about 80 or 90 yards away. The railway company's lorry was about three-quarters across the road then. When he looked around the military car was about seven yards from him. It was travelling at full speed, and, to avoid a collision, its driver turned to the right-hand side. The impact followed, throwing all the occupants of the military lorry on to the road.

Robert Styles, driver of the railway company's lorry, stated that he gradually moved on to the gate on the other side. When he noticed the military lorry 60 yards yards away, as he was diagonally across the road, he heard shouts of men from the oncoming vehicle, which struck his car.

The jury returned a verdict of accidental death, and exonerated both drivers from all blame. They recommended the relatives of the deceased man to the consideration of the military authorities and the railway company.

A DANCING WEEK.

WORLD CHAMPIONSHIP TO BE HELD IN LONDON.

London's reputation as a Home of the Arts is growing rapidly, says a Correspondent. A signal compliment is being paid by the selection of the Queen's Hall for the holding of the World's Dancing Championship at Christmas.

Hitherto these have been held in Paris—except in 1915, when Milan was the place appointed—but M. de Rhynal, the originator of the Dansant, composer of the Camel Walk, and organiser of all the big Paris dancing events for the past 12 years, thinks London has won its dancing spurs.

There will be substantial prizes for amateurs, as well as diplomas. For the world's best dancing pair there will be a cup, to be awarded at the final ball, on December 28th.

In the meantime dancing clubs all over the country are busy choosing entrants for the preliminary trials, opening on December 21st.

BREWERS' EXHIBITION.

IRISH PRIZE-WINNERS.

At the Brewers' Exhibition, which was opened at the Agricultural Hall, Islington, on Saturday, and is being continued this week, the following results are announced:—

Barley competition, Class 1—1st prize, Edmund Doyle, Warrington, Kilkenny.

Class 7 (Ireland)—1st, Edmund Doyle, Warrington, Kilkenny; 2nd, Philip McArdell, Rampark, Dundalk, Louth; 3rd, Algernon A. Odlum, Portarlington.

"FLU" ON A LINER.

P. AND O. CAPTAIN INTERVIEWED.

The P. and O. liner Caledonia, from Bombay, which was visited on the voyage by an epidemic of influenza, has arrived at Tilbury. Most of the victims have now recovered, but seven of them, including the ship's medical officer, Dr. Pentrich, have been removed to the Greenwich Hospital for tropical diseases.

None of the passengers was attacked, but there were 77 cases among the officers and crew. The Purser, Mr. Openshaw, and a refrigerator engineer named Scott, died at sea.

Captain Asbury, the Commander of the Caledonia, stated that the epidemic, which broke out four days after the ship left Bombay, originated with two bell-boys, who went ashore there, and were the first to be affected. It was influenza of the gastric type, peculiar to the tropics.

HOLIDAYS FOR CLERGYMEN.

The Bishop of St. Albans, writing on the subject of clergy holidays in his diocesan magazine, impresses on the laity that some annual break for the clergy is absolutely essential if they (the clergy) are to give their best work to the people. He would like, he says, to see it recognised in every parish throughout the diocese that every parson was entitled to a holiday every year, and ought to take one, and he does not himself believe that he ought himself to have to pay for another man to do his work when away.

DUBLIN AND THE PROVINCES.

Incendiarism in Boyle: Old Irish Bibliography: Feis Ceoil Elections.
Opera Singer on Dublin Audiences: Dublin Camera Club.
Baby Left in Doctor's Car: Poaching in Connaught.
Belfast Bandits: Magistrates as Coroners.

Considerable damage was done to property in Boyle late on Saturday night by a series of fires, which broke out at the same time at the Glebe Woollen Mills and at Felton, in the suburbs of Boyle, where a large hay shed, containing hay, as well as some adjacent stables, belonging to Mr. E. B. Cuffy, were set on fire. A shed and a boat, belonging to Mr. Adam Sterling, water bailiff, were burned. A short distance from this three stacks of oats, a stack of wheat, and two cocks of hay, belonging to James Coleman; a cock of hay, belonging to J. Hopkins; and a rick of hay, belonging to Mr. Morahan, were all found in flames.

DUBLIN.

OLD IRISH ROAD BOOKS.—At a meeting of the Bibliographical Society of Ireland, held at the Royal Irish Academy House, Dawson street, last night, a paper on "The Road Books and Itineraries of Ireland, 1647 to 1850," by Sir George Fordham, was read by the Secretary, in the unavoidable absence of the author. Compared with French and British road books, there is a meagre list of Irish publications of this peculiar type, which set out for the information of travellers in pre-rail days the regular stages on habitually used roads. The earliest were four published in London from 1647 to 1655, which were guides for the use of travellers in Ireland and lists of Irish towns. Then nearly a century elapsed before the publication, also in London, of Rocque's "Travellers' Assistant," in 1763, though lists of Irish roads were found in "The Gentleman's and Citizen's Almanack," from 1733 to 1810, published in Dublin. Taylor and Skinner's Irish Road Book, consisting mainly of maps, was the work of Scottish surveyors, but the first Dublin printed book of this type was Wilson's "Post Chaise Companion," 1785, with many subsequent re-issues. From 1801 to 1849 there was a fair number of Irish road books, also Irish sections in French atlases and gazetteers. This class of literature disappeared before the advent of rail roads. Interesting examples of the road books mentioned were exhibited.

FEIS CEOIL COMMITTEE.—The Feis Ceoil Association has elected the following Executive Committee by ballot for 1922-1923:—J. F. Larchet, Mus.D.; Mrs. J. F. Larchet, Mrs. Edmond Lupton, Miss A. B. Griffith, Edmond Lupton, K.C.; Professor R. A. S. Macalister, John E. Geoghegan, Mrs. P. J. Geoghegan, Signor Esposito, Mus.D.; Mrs. R. I. Best, Professor George O'Neill, Thomas H. Weaving, C. Holmes Denham, C. J. MacCarthy, Henry Maguire, Mrs. Boxwell, T. S. F. Battersby, K.C.; Miss Eithne Aliaga Kelly, Edward Martyn, J. Robertson Coade, E. M. Fannin, Miss Florence Culwick, R. I. Best, Madame Cosslett-Heller, I. S. Varian, and Mrs. A. McC. Stewart (Londonderry). The Music Sub-Committee and the Ladies' Committee has been re-elected, and Mr. Ambrose Aliaga Kelly elected Hon. Treasurer in place of Mr. W. P. Geoghegan, who has resigned the position as he is now residing in England. The Committee accepted Mr. W. P. Geoghegan's resignation with great regret.

APPRECIATIVE IRISH AUDIENCES.—Mr. Joseph Griffin, of the Carl Rosa Opera Company, who will open a three weeks' season at the Gaiety Theatre next Monday, said, in the course of an interview in London, that the only audience that one can really sing to is an Irish audience. He added that has was looking forward to his visit to Dublin, and after that to Belfast. Artistes are treated better in Ireland than anywhere else, he added. Mr. Griffin sang in "The Meistersingers" at Covent Garden on Saturday.

AMATEUR PHOTOGRAPHY.—An interesting lecture on photography was given to members of the Dublin Camera Club by Mr. H. Werner last night in 9 Ely Place, Dublin. Major Plews was in the chair. The lecturer outlined the record of the club since it was organised in 1921. At the start of its career it was faced with many difficulties, but eventually these difficulties were overcome, and the membership increased from 23 to 130. The lecturer described the birth and growth of the science of photography, and illustrated many of his points with experiments.

"WORKING FOR PROSPERITY."—Mr. H. Nicholls, who spoke at the Local Government Officials' Conference in Dublin on Saturday, says that, in speaking of the Government Commission, he was referring solely to the Commission responsible for the official cost of living figure, which was appointed, he adds, without any representation of outside interests, nor, so far as he is aware, was any evidence invited from other than Government officials. The word "underhand" was not used by him.

A GIFT.—When a doctor went to his motor car which he had left unattended outside his house in Blackrock yesterday afternoon, he found that somebody had left a nine days' old baby in it. It was taken to the Rathdown Union.

BLACKROCK METHODIST CHURCH.—A lecture on "Peter MacKenzie, Miner, Humorist, Preacher, and Saint," will be given by the Rev. W. W. Hutchinson, of Clontarf, to-morrow, at 7.30 p.m. The chair will be taken by Mr. A. Preston. A collection will be made for the home missions. Visitors are invited.

CONNAUGHT.

DESTRUCTION OF HARES.—Followers of coursing in the Counties of Roscommon and Leitrim are taking active steps to stop the wholesale destruction of hares by brutal methods on the Croghan preserves. The keepers are unable and afraid to deter the poachers.

LEINSTER.

BARLEY IN POOR DEMAND.—While the quotation is 17s. a barrel, barley is being sold in Tullamore at 15s. and 16s. a barrel. Only about half the barley produce had been sold even at this price, and farmers are getting it ground to be used for feeding cattle and pigs.

ULSTER.

NEW M.O. WANTED.—At the monthly meeting of the Newry No. 1 (County Down) Rural District Council, Mr. W. R. Bell reported that all the officials of the Council had taken the required declaration of allegiance except Dr. Laverty, the medical officer of health of the Rathfriland Dispensary, who, moreover, had failed to resume duty upon his release after the second week of September last from internment. The Commissioner made arrangements for the appointment of a successor at the next meeting. Since May last the duties of the position have been temporarily discharged by Dr. Speedy, of Rathfriland.

"BLIND MAN'S TURN" SMASH.—At one of the most dangerous corners in County Armagh, on the main road from Armagh to Keady, and about a mile from the latter, a military transport car collided with a Crossley tender occupied by Specials. The point where the accident occurred is known as "The Blind Man's Turn," it being impossible to see a car coming in the opposite direction, so sharp is the angle. The military driver was severely injured.

ARMED ROBBERS IN BELFAST.—While collecting accounts in the Old Lodge road district, Belfast James Black, of Palmer street, was stopped by two armed men, one of whom presented a revolver at his head, while the other attempted to rob him of the money which he had in his possession. Mr. Black resisted the attack and succeeded in getting away from his assailants without loss. Later three raiders entered a publichouse in Edward street. Two of them produced revolvers and intimidated the proprietor, while the third went behind the counter and took 17s. or 18s. from the till.

LINK WITH OLD BALLYMENA.—During the demolition of the old Town Hall, Ballymena, workmen discovered a massive iron grating in the centre of a wall, 3 feet 6 inches in diameter, which had originally given light and ventilation to prisoners confined in the cells underneath the old building. Air was admitted through the wall by means of a pipe. The grating has a framework of old bog-oak, and the iron standards are all three inches square, the cross-bars being an inch thick.

RESIDENT MAGISTRATES AS CORONERS.—At the meeting of the Finance Committee of the Londonderry County Council, the question of fixing the salary and the time and place for appointment of coroner for the barony of Kennaught, came up for consideration. Replying to a member, the secretary said that there had been 34 inquests in five years in this district, and it worked out at £11 an inquest. A motion was passed fixing the salary at £25 a year. A further motion instructed the secretary to request the Minister of Home Affairs to abolish the office of coroner and to place the duty of holding inquests in the hands of the resident magistrates.

OATH FOR INTERNEE.—At the meeting of the Finance Committee of the Londonderry County Council, in connection with the application of Mr. F. M'Gurk, of Knockloughrim (South Derry), for payment of £10 for four months' work as school attendance officer, it was stated that the applicant was interned on the Argenta. Payment was recommended subject to the applicant signing the declaration of allegiance and its acceptance by the Minister of Home Affairs.

CO. DOWN ROBBER KILLED.—A badger, weighing almost half a hundredweight, and measuring a yard in length, was killed in a farmyard at Ballygrainey, near Conlig, County Down. For months past there have been extensive depredations in the fowl runs in the district, and, the farmer, on whose premises the animal was destroyed, had lost over one hundred birds.

NEWRY RURAL DIVISIONS.—At the Newry No. 1 (County Down) Rural District Council, it was stated that the authorities proposed to postpone the election of county and rural district councillors till 1924. In order to give the people proper representation, it was proposed that the Rathfriland division and the Newry rural division should be divided. The Commissioner, Major Brush, decided to commend the proposal to the Ministry for consideration.

William R. Todd, Glenalls, Co. Armagh, was fined 40s. at Belfast for forwarding an unsound carcase of a pig for sale in Belfast.

Ten two-storey houses are to be erected by the Castlebar Urban Council. A grant in aid will be made at once.

An unidentified woman, aged about 45, was taken ill on the sands at Booterstown yesterday. She is lying in Monkstown Hospital.

Ten pounds in cash, a gun, telescope, and jewellery have been stolen from Drumcaw House, Co. Monaghan, the residence of Mr. S. M'Crudden.

Mr. George S. Crawford, of Drumcon, Rasharkin, Co. Antrim; Dr. C. J. Boucher, of Donacloney, Co. Down; and Mr. George Baillie, Annaghanan, Waringstown, have been appointed to the Commission of the Peace.

Owing to the dislocation of railway services, the Archbishop of Dublin has postponed the visitation of the clergy of the diocese of Glendalough, which had been arranged for Friday next, to a date to be fixed later on.

Head Constable N. Anderson, who has been stationed in Lurgan for the past two years, has been appointed District Inspector at Newtownards. The new D.I. was in the old Royal Irish Constabulary for 24 years.

In Newry Methodist Church on Sunday morning a handsome bronze tablet, mounted on black marble, was unveiled by the Rev. John Linahan, Lurgan, to the memory of the late Mr. Samuel J. C. Murray, senior steward of the Methodist circuit.

King's County Hospital and Homes Committee has made a rule, in case of vacancy arising in a dispensary district, to transfer, if he applies, a medical officer from another district, his place to be filled by a candidate from outside. This arrangement has been made with a view to promotion within the service.

A meeting of the Royal Society of Antiquaries will be held this afternoon at 4.30 at 63 Merrion square, Dublin, when the following papers will be read:—(1) "A Stone, with La Tène decoration, from Co. Cavan," by Dr. Macalister; (2) "The La Tène Period in Ireland," by E. C. R. Armstrong (with lantern illustrations).

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR.

THE APPEAL OF MUSIC.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—The article which appeared under the above heading in your issue of Friday last must have been much appreciated by all lovers of good music in Dublin. But, alas! since those far-away, pre-war days of Signor Esposito's excellent orchestral concerts in the Gaiety Theatre and Antient Concert Rooms the music-lovers of Dublin have been in a state of almost total starvation. Dubliners will tell you that theirs is a musical city, and that opera companies submit themselves with fear and trembling to the verdict of Dublin audiences, knowing that, if we turn down our thumbs, they need not venture to lift up their voices with any hope of success in another place. Thus do we delude ourselves! We are not a musical community. People probably get the music they deserve; and if, for opera, we must be content with "Maritana" and "The Lily of Killarney," and, at Sunday orchestral concerts, with such items as selections from "Faust" and "Ballet Egyptien," it is entirely our own fault. If we crowd to such "grand concerts" and applaud to the echo (often most indecently), how can we hope ever to hear in Dublin a really musical programme? This poverty of musical taste seems with us to be static. Our musical societies seem to be dead—or have we any such societies at all? The excellent Music League could not survive our neglect, and the Robinson-Larchet concerts were also very poorly supported. I think that Dublin people are also in a great degree disgusted with the poor performances at some of our very much advertised musical "treats."

We must wake up in Dublin. We want a good philharmonic society, a good concert hall (of uninflammable materials), a good permanent orchestra, giving weekly concerts under a really efficient conductor, and a good choral society to which only fully tested voices will be admitted. We want the public to devote to good music a little, a very little, of that rich enthusiasm which they lavish upon politics. Without the support of those who want good music we must continue in our present deplorable state.

There should be no palliation of slovenly performances on public platforms. The person who pays for a concert and is served with anything but the best fare is swindled just as surely as if he were supplied with margarine after paying for butter. There is an idea in Dublin that anyone presenting any sort of musical show must receive universal praise. There is a mutual admiration society in our midst. This kills ambition in our young artists, who have now apparently come to believe that, once they get a medal at the Feis, they may rest on their laurels for ever after.

The coming winter brings us the consolation of the Royal Dublin Society and St. Ultan recitals. May one hope that, with a view to reaching a wider audience, the Society's recitals will be given at night instead of in the afternoon?—Yours, etc., "J. H. M."

Dublin, October 30th, 1922.

TREES IN IRELAND.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—I have read with unusual interest Dr. Gogarty's account of the blessings, direct and indirect, that would flow from a programme of planting the Irish railway embankments, and other barren places with assorted fruit trees of the most productive types. The only objection that occurs to me for the moment is that Ireland is already overstocked with fruit trees. I do not base this assumption on the price of fruit in Dublin—which is about twice as high as in any other city in Europe—but upon the well-known fact that from one-half to two-thirds of the Irish fruit crop annually rots upon the ground.

The painful truth appears to be that before Ireland can be afforested in the manner suggested by Dr. Gogarty it will have to be de-middlemanned. Otherwise, if the big winds of liberty did not uproot the infant Bramley seedlings and immature bugarreaus in their adolescence, the sacred privileges of a vested interest would confine their mature utility exclusively to the provision of golf-club heads and imitation blackthorn walking-sticks. Let Dr. Gogarty plant the embankments of our State-owned railways with weeping elders and sad cypress, and none will say him nay.—Yours, etc., "WOODSMAN."

Dublin, October 30th, 1922.

RECENT WILLS.

BEQUESTS TO CHARITIES.

Mr. James Watt, of Kingsdown, North Drive, Streatham, London, S.W., and formerly of 101 Leadenhall street, London, E.C., who died in August, left £35,344. The bequests include:—£50 to the British Home for Incurables, Streatham; £50 to St. John the Baptist Nursing Home, Streatham; £100 to the Salvation Army; £50 to the British and Foreign Bible Society; £50 to the Church of England Temperance Society; £20 to the Rector of St. Leonard's, Streatham, for the nurses' fund; £20 to the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children; £20 to the Friendly Female Society; £100 to the Surgical Aid Society; £20 to the Streatham Provident Dispensary; £250 to Dr. Barnardo's Homes; £100 to the Ragged School Union; £100 to the Church Missionary Society; £120 to the Metropolitan Hospital.

GIFTS TO GIRTON COLLEGE.

Lady Julia Mary Carew, wife of Baron Carew, of 28 Belgrave square, London, W., and Castle Boro', Enniscorthy, Ireland, who died in September, left estate of the value of £38,925. The testatrix leaves certain embroidery, pictures worked by her sister, Lady Corr, to Girton College, Cambridge; the embroidered furniture and two Jacobean panels to her sister for life, and then for Girton College; an engraved ruby, now on loan to the South Kensington Museum, if not sold, to her sister for life, and then to the South Kensington Museum; £500 to Girton College.

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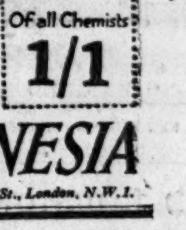

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A GREATER DUBLIN.

SOLVING A DIFFICULT PROBLEM.

"The Reconstruction of Greater Dublin" was discoursed on by Mr. Ernest Aston at a luncheon of the Dublin Rotary Club at Kidd's Buffet, Dublin, yesterday. There was a large company present, and Mr. Philip Laurence, President of the Club, occupied the chair.

Mr. Aston, who got a cordial reception, said, in the course of his address, that if they agreed with him that an immediate and sufficient extension of the city boundaries should be rejected and that a system of federation of common services would prove too slow and complicated to meet the present emergency, then they should seek a solution by other means. It seemed to him that any acceptable solution should be governed by certain definite principles. Firstly, it should be simple and capable of rapid application in the present emergency conditions. Secondly, it should be democratic, in so far as it should not involve the supersession or arbitrary limitation of the rights and functions of existing elected bodies; and, thirdly, it should provide an organism which would gradually and naturally lead up to reorganisation of local government in greater Dublin.

A suggestion which complied with all these conditions had been discussed by some leading members and officials of the local authorities interested, which had the merit of being a definite and practical proposal. In many American cities Commissions had been appointed to administer certain civic services. Greater Dublin, now being the headquarters and capital city of the Free State, was in the peculiar responsibility of the national Government. Its problems of reconstruction were largely national—as distinct from civic—problems; yet both sets of problems should find a unified solution.

THE EMERGENCY COMMISSION.

That being so, why should not the Government appoint a small and carefully-chosen emergency Commission, and charge that body with certain limited and definite functions? That Commission should submit its reconstruction proposals to all the local authorities concerned, with a view to obtaining the consent and co-operation of these bodies and of private interests affected, in the execution of its recommendations. Failing to obtain such agreement, a Provisional Order could be drafted by the Commission which would have the effect of law, unless amended or rejected by the Dail within a period of, say, three months. Responsibility for the execution of works under this proposal would remain as at present. The Board of Works would continue to take care of public buildings. The Port and Docks Board, the Corporation, and the County and Urban Councils would maintain their unimpaired rights to place and supervise the execution of contracts.

It had been suggested that such a Commission would find itself up against insuperable financial barriers—that any single local authority could refuse to foot the Commission's reconstruction bill of costs; but the right—indeed, the bounden duty—of Parliament was to say to any local authority that its lack of imagination or its parochial pessimism should not stand in the way of the larger public welfare. He suggested that the Commission would be solving the urgent problem of finance. Greater Dublin Bonds, secured by local authorities and the State, would present the highest form of Irish security for the investing public.

That was merely the outline of one suggestion. They might be able to suggest other and better methods. The essential thing was that some acceptable basis should be found for immediate co-operative action between all local bodies within the City and County of Dublin.

TWINS WEIGH 3½ LBS.

Aldershot, which recently established a world's record with a heavy-weight baby, has now set up another record. Last week the wife of a soldier gave birth to twins; one weighed a pound and a half and the other a pound and three-quarters. They did not live.

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ST. KEVIN'S PARISH.

St. Kevin's Church, South Circular road, Dublin, was re-opened on Sunday, having been closed for some weeks for repairs and painting. The occasion was marked by the annual Harvest Thanksgiving Services and for the dedication of a memorial tablet to the late Rector, the Rev. Phineas Hunt, M.A. The memorial, which has been placed in a prominent position near the baptismal font and organ, takes the form of a handsome brass plate with a design in shamrock as a border, is embedded in an Irish oak foundation, and bears the inscription:—"In loving memory of the Reverend Phineas Hunt, M.A., Rector of this Parish, 1883-1910, during whose Incumbency this church was built and endowed. Died 23rd March, 1920. And of his wife, Agnes Elizabeth, died 31st March, 1920. 'They have kept Thy word.'"

The memorial was dedicated during the Morning Service by the Rector, the Rev. Richard Bird, D.S.O., who spoke in feeling terms of the many good qualities and loving disposition which had endeared the late Rector to all who knew him, particularly the members of that congregation.

At the Evening Service the preacher was Canon Mervyn. The offerings on each occasion were on behalf of the Distressed Protestants' Association and Children's Hospital, Harcourt street. The painting and electric lighting have been carried out in a design most suitable to the architectural build of the church, which is now in debt owing to these improvements.

CHURCH NOTES.

The Bishop of Zanzibar is taking steps to form a new diocese, with its cathedral at Masasi, in the Tanganyika territory. For that purpose a new collegiate church has been created, the college consisting of four rural deans. The Rev. W. V. Lucas becomes Provost and Canon of Zanzibar Cathedral. The other members of the College are Archdeacon Lewin and two native clergymen.

The S.P.G. has decided to join with several other missionary societies in showing active sympathy towards the students from India and the Far East who are living in England and number some thousands. A secretary has been appointed to attend to that particular work.

It has been reported to the C.M.S. that, on the introduction of a conscience clause in one of their large colleges in Northern India, only six out of a total of 367 non-Christian students withdrew from the religious lessons.

The Bishop of Durham (Dr. Hensley Henson), addressing the annual meeting of the Christian Evidence Society, said that the greatest peril of modern Christianity arose from its desire to become popular. This led ardent Churchmen to lower their standards of faith and morals to match the actual standards of society. Hence they had superstition and the complete failure of moral power. He agreed with the Archbishop of York that the alienation of conscience and reason was the most sinister and suggestive factor in the religious situation of to-day.

The Bishop of St. Albans, writing of clerical holidays, says:—"I should like to see it recognised in every parish throughout the land that every parson is entitled to a holiday every year, and ought to take one, and I do not believe that he ought himself to pay for another man to do his work when he is away."

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COUNTY DUBLIN COUNTY COUNCIL.
NOTICE TO RATEPAYERS IN RATHDOWN NO. 1 RURAL DISTRICT.
APPOINTMENT OF RATE COLLECTOR.
Notice is hereby given that, at a Special Meeting of the County Dublin Council, held on Thursday, the 19th day of October, 1922, Mr. WILLIAM BYRNE, of 17 Harcourt terrace, Adelaide road, Dublin, was duly appointed as Rate Collector for the Rathdown No. 1 Rural District, and approved by the L.G.D., comprising the Electoral Divisions of Dundrum, Milltown, Glencullen, Stillorgan, Rathmichael, and Ballybrack, and all rates due on holdings in this area should be paid to him immediately.
By Order,
(Signed) J. V. LAWLESS, Acting Secretary, County Dublin County Council.
11 Parnell square, Dublin.
26th day of October, 1922.

ROYAL HOSPITAL FOR INCURABLES.
ELECTION FOR MALE PATIENTS.
There will be an Election at the Hospital on Tuesday, the 21st day of November, 1922, at 9.30 o'clock a.m., for Male Patients.
Forms of Application for Admission may be had at the Hospital.
N.B.—The Forms must be sent to the Hospital, completed and signed by the Applicant, on or before Friday, the 10th day of November, 1922, which will be the last day for the medical examination of Applicants at the Hospital.
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WEATHER FORECAST.

General Inference.—With the depression over France moving eastwards and pressure falling in Iceland, winds will be more northerly temporarily over the British Isles. Weather will remain cold, with a risk of showers of snow in the North and of rain or sleet in the South.
Ireland.—Wind mainly northerly, light or moderate; variable cloud; local showers of rain or sleet; visibility moderate or good; cold.
South-west seaboard, mouth of Channel to South-West Ireland, Irish Sea, and St. George's Channel.—Wind north-east to north, fresh, decreasing; variable cloud; local showers; visibility mainly good; sea moderate.
North-West seaboard, N. Ireland to Hebrides.—Wind indefinite or northerly, light or moderate; variable cloud; showers of rain or sleet in places; visibility good; sea slight.

Dixon and Hempenstall, Barometers and Forecasters, 12 Suffolk street, Dublin.—(Advt.)

HIGH WATER AT DUBLIN BAR.

To-day	Morning 8.44	Evening	9.18
To-morrow	" 9.36	"	9.45

SUNRISE AND SUNSET.

To-day	Rises .. 7.51	Sets	4.57
To-morrow	" 7.53	"	4.55

LIGHTING-UP TIME ..... 5.37 P.M.

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Queen's Theatre—"Arrah-na-Pogue," 6.45 and 8.45 p.m.
Abbey Theatre—"Aftermath," 8.15 p.m.
Empire Theatre—Varieties, 6.45 and 8.45 p.m.
Tivoli Theatre—Varieties, 6.45 and 9 p.m.
Metropole Cinema—Continuous, 3 to 10.30 p.m.
La Scala Theatre—Pictures, continuous.
Grand Central Cinema—Continuous.
The Picture House, Grafton street—Continuous.
Masterpiece—Pictures, continuous.
The Pillar Picture House—Continuous.
The Sackville Picture House—Continuous.
Princess, Rathmines—Pictures, continuous.
Kingstown Pavilion—Pictures, continuous.
Royal Society of Antiquaries—63 Merrion square, 4.30.

NEWS SUMMARY.

IRELAND.

The Speaker's Chair in the old Irish House of Commons was burned in the fire which destroyed Antrim Castle on Sunday morning.—(P. 7.)

A daring attempt to blow up Oriel House, the C.I.D. headquarters in Dublin, was made last night.—(P. 5.)

Conferences yesterday between the several parties to the dispute on the Great Southern and Western Railway failed to bring about a settlement.—(P. 7.)

GREAT BRITAIN.

Mr. J. R. Clynes hinted last night that the Labour Party would drop their capital levy proposal if their opponents could produce a better alternative.—(P. 5.)

ABROAD

The Fascist triumph in Italy is complete. Signor Mussolini received an immense ovation on his arrival in Rome. He visited King Victor, who was also enthusiastically acclaimed. The new Cabinet has been appointed.—(P. 5.)

Angora is raising objections to the holding of the Near Eastern Peace Conference at Lausanne. Russia is undecided as to whether it shall send delegates or not.—(P. 5.)

There are signs that the Sultan's Government may be merged into that of Angora. The Caliphis temporal and spiritual powers will be considerably modified.—(P. 5.)

SPORTING.

At Birmingham yesterday Tetrameter won the Packington Handicap.—(P. 8.)

COMMERCIAL

London Stock Markets were irregular, adverse influences being in full force. South African Mines hardened at the close.—(P. 9.)

Money was easier in Lombard street, both for loans and discounts. Foreign exchanges reacted sharply.—(P. 9.)

In Dublin the market was rather small, but firm.—(P. 9.)

A GREAT HURRAH.

20,000 CHILDREN CHEER THE PRINCE.

The Prince of Wales has had great receptions, but never one more whole-heartedly affectionate than that given to him yesterday afternoon by 20,000 London school children and their parents on the Stamford Bridge ground. It was the sports festival of the London Schools' Football Association, in aid of the London Schools' Hospital Fund, and there was a surprisingly large attendance.

There was some capital sport, both in the running of the boys and girls and the net ball matches, and the Prince stayed until nearly all of the events were concluded. To the great delight of the children, he kicked off in the football match between London Boys and Birmingham Boys.

The Prince was again loudly cheered when he left.

4.50 DOLLARS TO THE £.

CONVERSION RATE FOR ENGLISH MONEY ORDERS.

The United States Postmaster-General has given instructions that the conversion rate for postal and money orders payable in Great Britain and Ireland should be 4 dollars 50 cents for the pound sterling; this rate to become effective from October 30.

Greater Dublin.

London was rebuilt, a nobler and healthier city, after the Great Fire of 1666; and there is a bright side even to the recent tragedy of destruction in Dublin. Rebuilding on a large scale has become necessary at a time when the city is acquiring new dignity and importance as the capital of a Free State and the seat of a native Parliament. Here then is an opportunity which must be used boldly and wisely if the Dublin of to-day is to do its duty to the Dublin of to-morrow. A committee of citizens has led the way with some definite proposals for the reconstruction of Greater Dublin. Details may be open to criticism; but there can be no doubt that, if the committee's general plan is adopted by the State and by the civic authorities, Dublin will become a finer capital, a more agreeable place of residence and a more prosperous home of industry and trade. The principal features of the plan include a central railway station based on Amiens street Terminus, having direct connection with a national Post Office; a new City Hall in Sackville street, a Parliament House at Kilmainham, new highways on the North and South sides of the city, and a large reclamation of land between Clontarf and the North Wall Extension. We believe that public opinion in Dublin and throughout Southern Ireland endorses the plan, and we learn with pleasure that the Port and Docks Board has appointed a small committee which will investigate the possibilities of co-operation in some of the proposed improvements. Of course, a scheme that seeks to carry reconstruction to the very outskirts of Greater Dublin would involve many corporate and private interests. It could not hope to succeed unless some agreement between all these interests were in existence from the outset. Mr. E. A. Aston considered this aspect of the matter in his address yesterday to the Rotary Club. Nobody will disagree with his statement that the reconstruction of the Irish capital is not merely a civic, but a national, problem. The Free State Government must help the work from the national treasury, and, therefore, must exercise a corresponding measure of control. Mr. Aston suggests that the Government shall appoint a small commission whose advisory powers would be reinforced in case of need by the voice of Parliament. He thinks that the Commission seldom would fail to secure agreement among the local authorities. If it should fail, and then should make a provisional order, Parliament would have the right to intervene and its decision would be final. Under this scheme local bodies would pool their resources and their credit in pursuit of a large policy that would benefit all alike. We hope that Mr. Aston's address will stimulate thought; for it is high time that the people of Southern Ireland should begin to think in clear terms of national reconstruction. We may point out that, by adopting quickly some unambitious, but effective, plan for a unified supervision of the railways, the Provisional Government would make an important contribution to the development of Greater Dublin.

Labour's Threat.

Probably the most interesting, and certainly the most dangerous, feature of the approaching general election in Great Britain will be Labour's bid for power. The trial of strength will begin to-morrow at the municipal elections in London. The Labour Party proposes to capture the entire municipal machine of the capital. At the last elections, three years ago, the unpardonable apathy of the electors in the London boroughs allowed the Labour candidates to win a large number of seats which ought to have gone to Municipal Reformers. On this occasion virtually all the seats are being contested by Labour candidates, and it is expected that every available voter who is pledged to the Labour programme will record a vote to-morrow. The other parties, despite the lesson of 1919, seem to have taken very little interest in the election. Their minds, apparently, have been occupied with the larger issues of the national campaign, and once more the London boroughs have been neglected. It is quite probable, therefore, that the Labour Party will succeed in capturing a large proportion of the vacant seats and that London will become a hotbed of Poplars. Some of the constitutional candidates are making a belated effort to retrieve the mistakes of their party organisers, but the Communists are confident of victory.

The issue between Labour and the rest of the community is no longer in doubt. Labour's official programme, as enunciated by Mr. Arthur Henderson and some of his leading lieutenants, is sheer Bolshevism. The proposal for a capital levy damns it at once. Economists of all shades of political opinion, as well as those who have no definite political leanings at all, combine in denunciation of this mad scheme, which is the spear-head of Labour's war against private enterprise. In addition to the capital levy, which, we notice, Mr. Clynes vainly tries to explain away, it proposes the increase of death duties and super-tax, accompanied by the exemption of all incomes below £250 a year from taxation of any kind. All the old discredited schemes for subsidies to idleness appear again. Everybody must have work, or, if there is not enough work to go round, those who are sufficiently lucky to escape from jobs must be maintained by the community at full trade union rates. Mines and railways must be taken over immediately by the State. In all other industries "a more equitable distribution of the wealth produced by the workers" must be enforced. This is the policy which the Labour Party asks the people to support at the polls. Its adoption would ruin the country in a twelve-month.

Labour is contesting every seat which offers the slightest hopes of success, and its leaders believe that they will enter the next Parliament with at least 150 followers. Three-cornered contests will give them a splendid chance, and for that reason the whole nation would welcome some kind of working arrangement between the other parties at the polls. In some constituencies, apparently, Conservative, National-Liberal, "Wee Free" and Labour candidates will stand for election, and the split vote of the constitutional parties will give the Labour men an enormous advantage. If Labour should grasp the balance of power between the Conservatives and their Liberal opponents, no Government would be safe. Mr. Lloyd George holds the key to the situation. He declares that Mr. Bonar Law's policy is virtually identical with his own. In that case, there is no good reason why he should not support the new Administration. All the forces of sanity and common-sense ought to unite against the common danger. Three-cornered contests ought to be avoided at all costs, and, instead of trying to discredit Mr. Bonar Law's new Government, the ex-Premier ought to prove his statesmanship by throwing the whole weight of his influence on its side.

American Tariffs.

The United States tariff wall is an institution of long standing. Its original object was to protect the Republic's infant industries; but for many years after those infant industries had reached not merely adult, but colossal, stature the Republican Party continued to keep the tariff wall at its *maximum* height. Democratic Administrations assumed office from time to time and the wall was lowered; but the return of the Republicans to power always witnessed its immediate restoration. The wall kept American prices high and enriched the trusts. President Wilson reduced the tariffs; but now the Republicans are back in office, and the Fordney Tariff not only has restored the tariff wall, but has added a few more tiers of bricks to it. Moreover, the Act gives the President power to raise or lower these tariff rates by 50 *per cent.* without consulting Congress. This is a new departure. The Tariff Commission will make a close study of the various duties. If they are still insufficient to meet foreign competition, they will be raised. If they are more than sufficient to keep out the imported article or if competition is not possible, the tariff will be lowered. "The Commission," it is added with official optimism, "will ignore pressure of manufacturing interests excited through politicians." We can guess, however, what will occur. The American people already are disgusted with the high cost of living. Its increase as the result of the Fordney Act will drive them into the Democratic fold, or a Progressive revolt will submerge the Republicans, as in 1911. On the other hand, a serious exercise of the President's power to revise the schedules downward will earn him the enmity of "big business." In the end President Harding will suffer defeat, having pleased nobody.

The Spell of "Zoos."

It has been the custom to regard the influence of "zoos" upon humanity as merely educational. The visitor gets a glimpse of the wealth and diversity of Nature's wonders and of her skill in adapting the living organism to its surroundings. A valedictory inspection of the quarters of the anthropoid apes sends him home with a pleasant sense of having the ladder of evolution well behind him and his head within reasonable striking distance of the stars. The London "Zoo" has, however, a more practical, and scarcely less important, function—that of cementing the Empire's benevolent alliances with the remoter potentates who fall within its protecting shadow. A few months ago the Emir of Katsina was taken to the "Zoo," and succumbed to the spell of the barking toad. Now we read that the Emir Abdullah of Trans-Jordania also has yielded to the glamour of Regent's Park. He declares that, when he returns to Trans-Jordania, he will hasten to capture specimens of all its known fauna. As these are reported to consist exclusively of scorpions, carnivorous diptera and unspecialised Bedawi, the collection, except as to the last item ought to offer no difficulties. This conception of the wart-hog as a cementer of international friendship is charming. We hope that the hospitality of the Royal Zoological Society of Ireland will be extended lavishly to travelling Emirs.

THE SPEAKER'S CHAIR.

HISTORIC RELIC LOST FOR EVER.

Lord Massereene and Ferrard will have the sympathy of every one in Ireland on the irreparable loss which he has sustained in the destruction by fire of Antrim Castle on Sunday morning, and everything that it contained. Of all the valuable relics that were housed there, perhaps none possessed a greater interest for most Irishmen than the historic Chair of the Speaker of the old Irish House of Commons.

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Most people know how the chair passed into the possession of Lord Massereene and Ferrard. The Right Hon. Thomas Henry Foster, Viscount Ferrard (son of John Baron Oriel, last Speaker of the Commoners' House), married Lady Herbert Skeffington, heiress of the eighth Viscount, and in this way the Viscountcies of Massereene and Ferrard were united in the person of Thomas Henry Foster, and the Speaker's Chair passed into the custody of the Massereene family. The chair was in a recess in the Castle, backed by a carved portion of the old door of the parish church of Antrim, itself historic as showing the marks of bullets received in the Battle of Antrim. The chair was made of carved whitewood, painted brown, in keeping with the whole room. The last Speaker, the Right Hon. John Foster, in undertaking the custody of the chair and mace, determined to hand them over only to the keeping of an Irish Parliament. The old Irish mace was not recently along with the chair, the present Viscount not deeming it prudent to let its whereabouts be known.

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Some time ago Lord Massereene and Ferrard contradicted a rumour that he was about to present the chair to the Northern Parliament. He publicly stated that he would give the chair neither to a Southern nor a Northern Parliament of Ireland, and the inference was that he preferred to retain it until he could give it to the Parliament of a united Ireland.

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The original portion of Antrim Castle, in which the historic chair has stood for so long, was built in the opening years of the 17th century by Sir Hugh Clotworthy, an Elizabethan officer, who came to Ireland in 1573 with the Earl of Essex, and the ancestors of the families of Upton and Hill, these being now represented in the Peerage by Templetown and Downshire. Long before the Clotworthys arrived a castle on the same site was granted to one of the Norman de Lacys. When Sir Hugh Clotworthy obtained a grant of Antrim and of the territory of the Grange in 1605 he was already living in a castellated house and pawn on the estate, and here he brought his bride, Marion Langford, daughter of Sir Roger Langford, Carrickfergus, afterwards of Muckamore.

The approach to the castle is through the oak gate in the turreted lodge at the end of the High street in Antrim. The general appearance of the castle was that of a square embattled tower of three stories, the facade of which attracted attention. On a stone screen over the hall door were the family arms, mottoes, and events of history connected with the family.

At the top was a carved head of Charles I., and below this two shields bearing the arms of Clotworthy and Langford, and the date 1613. Underneath is a Latin inscription recording the repair and enlargement of the castle in 1889, but after the Restoration in 1662, improvements were made, and again in 1813 the structure was overhauled. Over the entrance a large shell, supported by mermaids, indicated the crest of the Skeffington family, Sir John Clotworthy's daughter and heiress becoming the wife of Sir Richard Skeffington, of Fisherwick, Staffordshire, who, on the death of his father-in-law, then Lord Massereene, assumed the title. The building was entered by a flight of stone steps with ornamental railings.

ALL HALLOWS EVE.

SOME IRISH SUPERSTITIONS.

I remember well in my young days an old gentleman who had such a firm belief in lucky and unlucky days that he would never go a journey on a Monday, and would, on no account, put on a new coat on a Saturday, as to do so would be unlucky. He had, too, some whimsical superstitions about dressing himself. If he happened to draw on a stocking on his left leg before the right, disaster, as he thought, would be sure to follow. This superstitious man was, I suppose, but a type of others in not very distant days, nay, probably in our own.

It is strange that even to-day there is a proneness in regarding some of our old superstitions with a kind of unwavering faith—even some of them have, with us, acquired the consistency of virtues.

As we are now in what is termed the traditional superstitious season, let us lay before our readers a few of the very old Irish superstitions which are looked upon, even now, in many parts of the country with unfaltering faith.

The two great festivals of the ancient Irish were "*La Baal Tinne*," or May Day (sacred to the sun) and "*La Samnah*," or November Eve (sacred to the moon). We are told that food should be left out on November Eve, for the dead are then wandering about. If the food disappears, it is a sign that the spirits have taken it, for no mortal would dare to touch or eat the food so left.

Never turn your head to look if you fancy you hear footsteps behind you on that night, for the dead are walking then, and their glance would kill.

In November a distaff is placed under the head of a young man at night to make him dream of the girl he is destined to marry. If a ball of worsted is thrown into a lime kiln and wound up until the end is caught by invisible hands, the person who winds it calls out, "Who holds the ball?" and the answer will be the name of the future husband or wife. But the experiment must be made only at midnight, and in silence and alone.

ST. MARTIN'S DAY.

Our ancient ancestors also said that on St. Martin's Day, when blood is spilt, whoever is signed with the blood is safe for that year, at least from disease. We have, too, the superstitious but happy assurance that if we eat a goose on Michaelmas Day we shall not want money all the year round. We may add that this somewhat incongruous connection between the martial Saint and the so-called simple bird is of very long standing.

The cure for the "Evil Eye" with the "old people" was to cut a piece from the garment of the evil-eyed, burn it to tinder and grind it to powder, and then give it to the person under the spell, while the forehead was being anointed with spittle.

If an animal were supposed to be fairly struck a red hot turf was passed three times over and under the body, singeing at the same time the hair along the back. This drove off the fairies.

The ancient Irish always went westward round the holy well, following the course of the sun, and creeping on their hands and knees.

Among our old ancestors red-haired people were held to be evil, malicious, and unlucky, probably because Typhon, the evil principle, was red; and, therefore, a red heifer was sacrificed to him by the Egyptians.

In the mystic dances performed at the Baal festival, the gyrations of the dancers were always westward, or in the track of the sun; for the dance was part of the ancient ritual of the worship.

But it may be asserted, also, that there are signs of good luck, but probably not so many. Anyhow, there is no truth better known than that courage commands success. There is a country superstition that if a person sets off running, and runs round in a circle when he hears the cuckoo for the first time, he will never be out of work till spring comes again.

Again, if a tumble upstairs is lucky, the predisposition to luck is in the person who will be active and quick enough to run up the staircase. Another good omen, as we have often heard, the turning of a garment inside out while dressing, though it seems to tell of the slovenliness that will not succeed, has, probably, an origin that indicated something better. It is a country saying that it might well refer to the hurry of rising without artificial light before day—a habit likely to help the farmer's household to good fortune.

THE CRICKET ON THE HEARTH.

Indeed, as a proof of the real nature of many good signs which time has perverted into superstitions, can we doubt that the crickets which chirp round the hearth for luck were first noticed there, because crickets, as a rule, only come to a warm and cosy fireside—the kind of hearth that makes a happy cottage home.

Again, we have the superstitions attributing ill-luck to the unfortunate spilling of salt or new milk, whereas both are, or may be, the result of gross carelessness to which time has given unwarrantable, if not the irrevocable, form of omens.

As to superstitious cures, no doubt some of them contain certain slight elements of medicinal value; but most depend upon that influence upon the nerves which is well known to be capable of giving energy for a time and all ving pain. I had every reason to know that some of the so-called cures were decidedly troublesome and disagreeable. To get rid of a wart you were solemnly enjoined to steal a piece of meat, and after rubbing the wart with it, you were to throw it over your left shoulder over a wall. Of these superstitious cures we have often written number.

To sum up, we would suggest that superstitions keep their false character for truth, because they who observe them prove their own leaning towards ill-luck; and because the penalty of ill-omens is so dreaded that the credulous shrink from putting them to the test.

JOHN F. GUNNING.

LAST NIGHT'S PLAY.

LONDON REVIVAL OF "MID-CHANNEL."

The Pinero cycle was ushered in last night at the Royalty Theatre, London, by "Mid-Channel," which is undoubtedly one of the finest dramas Sir Arthur Pinero has ever written. It was first produced at St. James's Theatre in 1909, and in America in 1910.

Messrs. Leon M. Lion and J. T. Grein's idea in starting this cycle is to give the present generation of playgoers the chance to see Sir A. Pinero's plays at the three most interesting periods of his career. When "Mid-Channel" has run its allotted span, "The Benefit of the Doubt" will be presented (this was first produced in 1895), and finally "Sweet Lavender" (which was produced in 1888, and ran two years).

The revival of "Mid-Channel" is unusually interesting, because the chief character of Zoe Blundell is played by Irene Vanbrugh, for whom it was originally designed, and in which she created such a sensation 13 years ago. It is no exaggeration to say that she plays the part even better to-day than she did then—and it has always been considered her greatest achievement.

The story deals with a dour, unimaginative, and common-place husband, and a nervous, temperamental wife, who agree on nothing and have no tastes in common. The wife is surrounded with friends, chiefly male, to whom her husband objects, with the inevitable squabbles. The wife attempts a reconciliation, but is always frustrated by this fatal incompatibility.

After a final quarrel, when the husband leaves the house and his wife to her own resources, they both drift into a love affair, neither really caring—the wife with a former young friend, the husband with a well-known lady of easy virtue.

Again, on each learning through the mutual friend that the other is wretched, an effort is made for a new start, but although the wife can forgive her husband his affair, he cannot overlook hers, and once more they quarrel and part.

The wife returns to the young lover, to find that she is not really wanted, although he is prepared to do "the right thing."

Realising this, and that in the "Mid-Channel" of her life she has drifted instead of weathering the stormy passage, she commits suicide by throwing herself from a window.

Miss Irene Vanbrugh's acting of the wife is superb. The sheer beauty of her voice, the controlled

MINES IN DUBLIN C.I.D. HEADQUARTERS.

DARING ATTEMPT TO BLOW UP ORIEL HOUSE.

GUARD RESCUED FROM DEBRIS BY PRISONERS.

THREE ARRESTS AFTER EXPLOSION MAN WITH FOUR BOMBS.

An attempt was made at 9.20 last night to blow up Oriel House, Westland row, the headquarters of the Irish Criminal Investigation Department. Four land mines were placed in a cellar of the building, and connected with a battery at the corner of Merrion Hall, Lincoln place, about twenty yards away; but only one of them exploded.

Considerable damage was done to the side of the building looking on Lincoln place, and eight prisoners and the officer in charge of them had very narrow escapes. A woman and two male civilians who were in the vicinity were injured by the explosion. A large number of windows in the vicinity were shattered.

Simultaneously with the explosion, revolver fire was opened on Oriel House from a publichouse directly across the street, to which a number of armed men had gained entrance by a back door. The staff in Oriel House replied to the fire, and after a few minutes the attackers withdrew.

A short time afterwards the C.I.D. officers arrested three men in the vicinity of Westland row Station. Each had a revolver, and one had four bombs.

WIRES ACROSS THE ROAD.

An *Irish Times* reporter, writing early this morning, says:—

A desperate attempt was made last night to blow up Oriel House, the headquarters of the Irish Criminal Investigation Department, in Westland row, Dublin.

Four land mines were laid in a cellar of the building and touched off from a battery placed at the base of a lamp-post in Lincoln place, at the side of Merrion Hall.

Three Mines Fail.

Fortunately three of the mines failed, but the one that did explode caused so much damage that one shudders to think what the destruction and possible loss of life would have been had the four gone off together. As it was the total casualties were one woman and two men (civilians) slightly wounded. The Lincoln place side of Oriel House was very badly wrecked, a staircase being partly blown away, doors torn from their hinges and portion of the roof shattered.

Windows in the shops and private houses within a hundred yards area were reduced to splinters by the force of the explosion and the pavements, when I visited the place immediately after the occurrence, resembled the frosting on an old-fashioned Christmas card. One trod on powdered glass at every step, and it glinted in the lights of the arc lamps like hoar frost.

Heard at Dalkey.

It is reported that the explosion was heard as far off as Dalkey—our correspondent in that town who was on the telephone to this office shortly afterwards said that the belief in the district was that a large portion of Dublin had been blown up.

Messages from the other townships on the coast also showed that they had heard the detonation. So far as Ireland was concerned, it was certainly a more successful test of the carrying power of sound than the elaborate bang at Oldebroek, in Holland, on Saturday last.

When I got to Westland row the street was held by the national troops. Lorries of alert soldiers were drawn up outside Oriel House, and the adjacent streets were being patrolled by the green jackets with rifles and revolvers at the ready.

Bedtime Excitement.

Inside Oriel House there was a sort of orderly excitement, as might be expected in the circumstances. It is a somewhat unsettling thing to be blown up even when you are prepared for it; but to be blown up when you are retiring for the night or already in bed, as some of the Oriel House staff were at the time, is extremely disconcerting.

But those people took it with really remarkable phlegm. They were able to spare time to give a plain unvarnished account of the occurrence to a Pressman, and the only fault I had to find with their story was that they showed a tendency to leave out the "colour" bits. They would have put it into three lines if they could, and they could not understand my desire to make "these dry bones live."

Cut the Wires.

But there was the incident of the director of Oriel House After the explosion he was the first down to the cellar of danger, and calmly cut the wires connected with the other three mines, which had failed to go off—this in a tumble of ruined masonry threatening further collapse every minute.

Afterwards he followed the wires across the road to the battery at the lamp post, what time the road was being swept by bullets from a party of the enemy in a public-house over the way.

Trap-door Used.

It was 9.20 p.m. when the mine went off. It and its deadly companions had been placed in the cellar by means of a trap-door in the pavement at the side entrance to the building. When one got down through this trap-door there was one half of a steel door at the entrance to the cellar proper. The other very necessary half of this steel door had been missing long before the C.I.D. came to Oriel House.

The mines were placed as far inside the half of the steel door as possible, and it was quite obvious that the minelayers had been hurried in their work.

It is impossible to say when the mines were put in position, but they must have been connected up with the battery at the side of the Merrion Hall after 9 o'clock last night.

Wires Across the Road.

The wires ran naked and obvious across the surface of the road, that all who ran might read their sinister significance. Of course, there is little traffic up the side street at that time of night; but, at the same time, the immediate vicinity is a fairly well populated traffic route, and there was a considerable risk of discovery.

Simultaneously with the explosion a party of civilians entered the licensed premises of Messrs. W. and M. Kennedy, at the corner of Westland row and Lincoln place, and opened fire with revolvers on the front of Oriel House.

A Brisk Fire.

The fire was promptly returned by the garrison, and for several minutes a brisk interchange was kept up. I saw one or two fresh bullet marks in the windows of the C.I.D. Headquarters, and there were innumerable chips knocked off the brickwork. But there were no casualties amongst the garrison, save for the operator at the telephone switchboard, who pluckily stuck to his post though injured about the head by splinters of glass.

When the explosion occurred the armed civilians entered the public-house by the rear entrance in Lincoln place opening on to the yard.

In the yard they found most of the men who had been in the bar at the time of the explosion and who had rushed there, thinking it was the safest place in the circumstances. The armed men "held up" all the customers at the point of the revolver and searched them, but it is not reported that they took anything.

The armed men, according to an eye-witness, did not reload their weapons in the publichouse, but having discharged the contents from the doorways and windows, swiftly retreated by the way they had come.

Tram Held Up.

Another *Irish Times* representative, who was passing through Merrion square on a tram bound from Kingstown to the Pillar about this time, states that five armed men boarded the tram just as it went past Holles street. The conductor was inside the car when they dashed up the stairs. One of the men held up the conductor, whilst the others menaced the passengers with revolvers.

There were three postmen in uniform on the top deck at the time, one British soldier in uniform, and the *Irish Times* representative. They searched the civilian for arms—needless to say, without result. They then ran down the stairs again and disappeared.

It is believed that the five armed men were some of those concerned in the attack on Oriel House.

Man With Four Bombs.

Meantime the C.I.D. men came out of their headquarters and proceeded to search the surrounding streets. In the vicinity of Westland row Station they arrested three civilians, each of whom was armed with a revolver and ammunition, whilst one had in addition no fewer than four bombs.

Chief Superintendent Ennis and Inspector Baxter, who were standing at the front door of Oriel House when the mine went off, had miraculous escapes. They were flung to the ground by the force of the explosion, and while they lay there fire was opened by the attackers from the publichouse directly opposite. They escaped without a scratch.

A Deserted Ford.

After the attack the Oriel House men also discovered a deserted Ford car in Lincoln place, and it is believed that some of the attacking party drove up in this vehicle.

Remarkable Escape.

One of the most remarkable incidents in the whole affair was the escape from death of eight prisoners who were in a large room at the side of the door where the explosion occurred.

One rumour has it that the main purpose of the attempt was to rescue these prisoners. If that was so, it nearly had the effect of releasing them for all eternity.

The cellar in which the explosion occurred was under the doorway at the Lincoln place side of the building—as already stated—and when the mine went off this doorway was completely wrecked, as well as the staircase behind it and the adjacent rooms. In the room where the prisoners were confined not a single pane of glass remained in the windows, and the door of the room was blown in. Wire-netting on the windows was twisted out of shape and torn from its place.

The upper rooms were also badly damaged, and portion of the roof, three storeys above, was blown off. The *débris* was precipitated down the well of the staircase, and the officer who was in charge of the prisoners and who happened to be in the hall at the time, was buried beneath the *débris*.

To the credit of the prisoners, it must be recorded that they gave swift and willing assistance in extricating their jailer from his dangerous position, and, thanks to this speedy aid, he was little the worse for his nerve-shattering experience.

Mrs. Kane, 74 Lower Mount street, was slightly injured as the result of the explosion, and was treated at Sir Patrick Dun's Hospital. Two male civilians also were injured.

C.I.D. SEARCH AT KINGSTOWN.

Members of the Criminal Investigation Department from Oriel House visited Kingstown yesterday, and carried out a search of certain places, as the result of which four men were brought in custody to Dublin.

"BEAVER" UNMASKS IN COURT.

CHALLENGE TO LONDON JUDGE.

INVENTOR'S DISGUISE.

Cleverly disguised in a wig and a short grey beard and moustache, and wearing pince-nez, Mr. Albert Close, the Canadian, who has made several protests before the Royal Commission on awards to inventors, secured admission to the Commission room yesterday (wires a London Correspondent).

Mr. Close, who is fresh complexioned and clean-shaven, appears to have walked past the police at the entrance without being recognised. Wearing a silk hat, he looked an elderly gentleman of somewhat foreign appearance.

Mr. Justice Sargent, the Chairman, was about to open the proceedings when Mr. Close rose, and, tearing the beard from his face, startled the room by saying "Mr. Chairman, as a Canadian I challenge your constitutional right to violate the English laws of evidence."

"Mr. Close," began the Chairman, but Mr. Close repeated "I challenge your constitutional right to refuse to call more witnesses."

Holding up an envelope, he said "Here is the statement. Not a word of cross-examination in it. You put yourself behind a lot of policemen. I have had to disguise myself in a ten-and-sixpenny wig to get here this morning."

Mr. Close went on to allege that minutes of evidence had been faked.

"Put your hand on him," said the Chairman to an attendant. The attendant did so, but Mr. Close did not move.

"Send for the police," he said. "I want to make a charge of this."

"This is one of the biggest sham Commissions ever perpetrated on the Empire," he declared. "The other Commissions were a fraud on the country, but this is a fraud on the Empire."

Mr. Close was going on to complain of secret hearings, when a police officer arrived.

Mr. Close made no attempt to obstruct the officer, but quietly bundled up his papers and left the room.

A JOB FOR EVERY MAN.

U.S. THE WORLD'S ONLY PROSPEROUS COUNTRY.

IRISH TIMES FOREIGN SERVICE.
FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.

WASHINGTON, Monday.

The rival campaigns of the Republicans and the Democrats for the Congressional elections are entering upon their last week.

According to the leader of the Democrats, Senator Cordell Hull, the Republican voters are disgruntled and disgusted, and are turning to the Democrats.

But Senator Medill McCormick, Chairman of the Republican Senate Committee, insists that the Republicans will retain their power.

"The people of America will not block the economic recovery of their country by returning Democracy to power," he declares.

Senator Hull attacks the Fordney Tariff; Senator McCormick defends it, as being justified by cheap labour in Europe.

The achievements of the Republican Congress are cited by Senator McCormick. These achievements, he says, follow "under a Budget Act, where expenditures are reduced one billion dollars, where the nation's debt is reduced by a billion dollars. Liberty Bonds, which sold at 84 per cent., are now touching par."

"There were five million workless in the United States when Wilson surrendered the Presidency. Now every man can get employment. America alone among the world nations is prosperous."

SEIZED BRITISH SHIPS.

GRACE AND RUBY TO BE RELEASED.

Reuter's Washington Correspondent says:—Orders have been given in New York for the release of the British schooner Grace and Ruby, because the prohibition agents who recently seized her are unable to establish conclusively that she had been in illegal communication with the shore.

It is learned that the Grace and Ruby was one of the fourteen cases cited in the recent British protest against the seizure of the Emerald. It was indicated at the State Department that the remaining cases are being carefully studied.

EXCITING CHASE.

SEQUEL TO ROBBERY IN DUBLIN PUBLICHOUSE.

ALLEGED THIEF WOUNDED.

At 9.20 last night an armed man entered the Abbey Bar, 26 Lower Abbey street, Dublin, whilst it was crowded with customers, and compelled the bar tender, at the point of the revolver, to give him the contents of the till—some seven or eight pounds.

One of the customers threw a glass at the robber, and the latter ran out of the shop. He was followed, and in Marlborough street was stopped by a Metropolitan police constable, who took the revolver from him.

The policeman handed the revolver to a soldier of the national army who happened to be passing, and whilst he was doing so the alleged thief made another dash for liberty.

The soldier called upon him to halt, and as he did not do so, fired a shot over his head.

Another call to halt being ignored, the soldier fired again and hit the man in the thigh.

He was conveyed in the ambulance to hospital, where he refused to give his name.

An officer of Oriel House, who arrived as the man was being placed in the ambulance, took possession of the money, which consisted of three bags of silver and one bag of coppers.

An Inspector from Oriel House who came on the scene immediately afterwards, took possession of the revolver.

LADY JOAN'S SECRET.

MARRIAGE TO EARL OF CAVAN ON MONDAY, NOVEMBER 27.

Lady Joan Mulholland, who is now in Paris, will marry General the Earl of Cavan on Monday, November 27th, an unusual day in the week for a big society wedding.

But (says a London Correspondent) at present the church at which this most interesting of the month's weddings is to take place has been kept secret.

FOOT-AND-MOUTH DISEASE.

FOUR MORE CASES IN ENGLAND.

The British Ministry of Agriculture announces four further outbreaks of foot-and-mouth disease during the week-end—at Walton-on-Thames and Windlesham (Surrey), Staines (Middlesex), and Wootton, near Woodstock (Oxfordshire).

PARIS AMBASSADOR'S RESIGNATION.

It was learned in political circles in London last night, says the *Daily Mail*, that Lord Hardinge had tendered his resignation as British Ambassador in Paris. A report was current that Sir George Grahame, Ambassador at Brussels, would succeed him.

NEAR EASTERN DIFFICULTIES.

TURKS SPLITTING HAIRS.

NEW CONFERENCE VENUE WANTED.

RUSSIAN FRIENDS VACILLATING.

IRISH TIMES FOREIGN SERVICE.
FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Monday.

Hamid Bey, Kemal Pasha's representative here, declares that Angora's reply to the Peace Conference suggestions will arrive on Tuesday. It will include the following objections:—

(1) Objection to Lausanne as the venue; request that the meeting be held at Florence or Paris.

(2) Insistence upon Russian participation.

(3) Objection to the presence of the Constantinople Government representative, Angora claiming that such does not represent Turkey.

The Turkish delegates will be Ismet Pasha and Doctor Riza Nouri Bey, Minister of Public Health. He was formerly in opposition to Kemal Pasha, but is now a strong supporter of the moderate party.

A conference to arrange an "economic accord" between Russia and Turkey has held its first session at Angora. The delegates are Hassan Bey, Tewfik Rushti and Fuad Bey, for Turkey; Araloff, Erdonsky and Rosenberg, for Russia.

RUSSIA'S QUANDARY.

To Participate or Not in Peace Conference.

IRISH TIMES FOREIGN SERVICE.
FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.

Russia is engaged in making up her mind whether or not she will attend the Dardanelles Conference. Numerous leaders and part of the official Press strongly oppose participating "at the second conference, when Turkey will be tied hand and foot by the first conference with the *Entente*, hoping that Russia will be forced to accept the situation," according to the *Pravda*.

Another section of Russian officialdom is pleased over the invitation from the *Entente*. The invitation is some satisfaction to Russia's numerous protest Notes against isolation. Coming immediately after the change in the British Government, it is taken to indicate that Mr. Bonar Law will follow a different Near Eastern policy, with the recognition that Russia must be in any peace-making there.

However, the protest against not being invited to the general Peace Conference is unanimous. Russia's peace programme is believed here to be seriously worrying the *Entente*, who, according to the official Moscow Press, "want to take from Turkey her strongest support, and leave Turkey isolated" before the Dardanelles Conference, "where Russia will be unable to influence the decisions forced upon Turkey."

CALIPH TO RECOGNISE ANGORA?

Reported Negotiations in Constantinople.

A Constantinople message has been received here, says Reuter's Paris Correspondent, saying that the disappearance of Governmental duality appears imminent. It is said that the Sultan is going to recognise the National Assembly of Angora, which alone would have legislative authority in Turkey.

In the course of an interview granted to Rafet Pasha, Governor of Thrace, by the Sultan, the question of the recognition of the National Assembly of Angora by the Sultan and that of the representation of the Sublime Porte at the Lausanne Conference were raised. Rafet Pasha gave some information with regard to modifications that would probably be made by the National Assembly in the constitutional *régime* in the temporal power of the Sultan and in his spiritual authority as Caliph.

Christians Leave Adrianople.

A telegram received by Reuter from a semi-official Greek source in Athens says that Adrianople has been completely evacuated by the Christian population.

The evacuation of Eastern Thrace is almost completed. The Greeks express considerable gratitude for the attitude of the British in helping to make the evacuation of the country as easy as possible.

LABOUR AND STATES' REPRESENTATION.

THE CLAIMS OF INDIA.

The Special Correspondent of the Press Association at Geneva, telegraphing yesterday, says:—The consideration of the report of the Reforms Committee on the Reform of the Governing Body and on Periodicity of Conferences occupied this morning's sitting of the International Labour Conference. Numerous speakers took part in the discussion.

Introducing the report, Mgr. Nolens, Netherlands, Chairman of the Committee, referred to the principal changes, notably the proposed increase in the number of members of the Governing Body, which, he said, had not met with universal approval, inasmuch as it increased the chances of any particular State obtaining representation on the Governing Body. The next important point was whether six or eight States should have seats as of right. Another point referred to the number of seats to be allotted to Overseas centres, as non-European States desire to increase their representation.

Mgr. Nolens said that this was a question on which moderation was necessary, for it must be remembered that Overseas States already had a privileged situation in having a minimum laid down for them at all.

Mr. Joshi, India, pointed out that the non-European world deserved more than 25 per cent. representation, and he declared that they could not consent to any changes which would permanently fix representation on the Governing Body.

A lengthy discussion followed on points of order and procedure.

With reference to the proposed new composition of the Governing Body, providing that of sixteen persons representing Governments, one each should be appointed respectively by France, Germany, Great Britain, Italy, Japan, and the United States of America, Mr. Lapointe, Canadian Minister of Marine, expressed the opinion that this involved a radical alteration in the Peace Treaty, and declared that Article 393 of that instrument was expressly inserted to prevent anything happening, such as the Committee now proposed to introduce. He upheld the claims of Canada for representation, and declared that Canada wished to come to this conference as equals. He objected to the United States being included in the list, as the United States had refused so far to participate in the conference. He felt sure that Americans would come to the conference when they thought they should, and not before. He made these declarations not only in the interests of his country, but from consideration of the interests of the International Labour Office as a whole, hich, he added, should be based on ideas of peace and justice.

INDIAN OPPOSITION.

Mr. Bhan, India, opposed the appointment of six States on the Governing Body, and pointed out that the Treaty of Versailles laid down the principle that there should be eight States of principal industrial importance. He concluded by addressing a warm and eloquent appeal to the conference in favour of India's claims to representation, which was warmly applauded. The debate will be resumed to-morrow.

FROM TO-DAY'S LONDON PAPERS.

LABOUR MANIFESTO.

THE LOGICAL CONCLUSION.

"THE TIMES" OF TO-DAY SAYS:—

The present election campaign certainly began in an atmosphere of confusion, but, thanks largely to the reticence of Ministerial speakers, the air seems to be growing clearer, and there may be a prospect that a fortnight hence the country will have gained a fair notion of what is truly at stake. Among other things it may have realised that the treatment of serious matters like unemployment, housing, taxation, and the future of industry, mechanical and agricultural, may be determined by the way electors poll, and that the maintenance of peace abroad and the settlement of reparations and inter-Allied debts bear upon these matters so closely that they cannot be disjoined from them in any consideration of the national position.

A correspondent yesterday drew attention to the announcement in the Labour manifesto that, if returned to power, the Labour Party intends to exempt from taxation all incomes below £250 a year. In the light of the last report of the Commissioners of Inland Revenue he showed that Labour proposes to free from all taxation 6,273,100 of the voters in the country. "We used to hear a good deal of the maxim, 'No taxation without representation,'" he added, and suggested that the Labour cry is now, "Representation without taxation." Inasmuch as the Labour manifesto also declares against indirect taxation, and wishes "to free trade and industry from all burdensome imposts, whether Customs, Excise or Stamp duties," there is much force in our correspondent's contention. It raises, indeed, an issue involving the whole structure of our representative institutions.

The logical conclusion of this Labour claim would be that the wealthier section of the community, which is numerically small, should bear all the fiscal burdens of the State without being able to exert any effective control over the management of public affairs.

THE NEAR EAST.

CHARACTER OF BRITISH INTERESTS.

Commenting editorially upon the evacuation of Eastern Thrace by the Greeks, and the forthcoming Peace Conference at Lausanne, *The Times* remarks:—What is of importance is that the real nature of British interests in the Near East should be clearly defined, in view of the forthcoming Conference. It is time to return to a simple view. The character of our interests has been obscured during the last few years by a dangerous policy which has involved us in commitments that we could never have carried out. The crash has come; it will take a long time to clear up the wreckage, but at least we may begin by soberly considering what is still worth striving for in the Near East.

The British Government should stand firmly for the protection of purely British interests, which are in effect identical with the real as distinguished from the imaginary interests of all the European Powers. On such a basis all the Powers concerned in the Conference could present to Turkey a united front, and could, if they so willed, achieve peace with a *minimum* of friction.

ANGLO-SPANISH TREATY.

SPANISH LAST HOUR DEMANDS.

Great Britain has consented to the reduction from 1,000,000 to 750,000 tons of the quantity of British coal to be allowed into Spain under the reduced duty, and also that briquettes shall pay full duty. Spain's twelfth hour demands being thus satisfied, the Treaty will be signed perhaps to-morrow evening, telegraphed *The Times* Madrid Correspondent yesterday. Spain reserves the right to give most favoured nation treatment to the Morocco Protectorate and Portugal. The Treaty will be in force for three years before it becomes liable to revision, of which six months' notice must be given by either side. The British Dominions may adhere to the Treaty.

As regards the reduction of duties secured by the Treaty, an agent tells me that in the case of a very important group of Manchester goods the reduction averages of 5 *per cent.*, leaving a handsome margin for the protection of Catalan mills. Motor car importers express satisfaction at the improved outlook for their trade.

SAFETY IN THE AIR.

A NEW TYPE OF AEROPLANE.

In a message from Paris yesterday, *The Times* Correspondent states:—M. Maneyrol, the well-known sailplane flyer, has made some interesting experiments at Villacoublay over the week-end on an aeroplane fitted with extensible wings. One of the most important factors which make for security in flying is the widest possible difference between the extremes of speed by which an aeroplane is maintained in the air. An ideal machine would be one which, while capable of a speed of 200 or 250 miles an hour, could, nevertheless, maintain itself in the air at a speed of six to ten miles an hour.

One of the means by which this end can be attained is the extension at will of the length of the wing. The Bille machine which M. Maneyrol has been testing, after flying at 170 kilometres an hour reduced its speed to 60 kilometres an hour, and then to 20 kilometres an hour before landing. The extension and reduction of the length of the wings, which were effected at will in full flight, occupied no more than six seconds.

FASCISTI VICTORY.

D'ANNUNZIO'S ADVICE.

A Correspondent of *The Times* at Chiasso, on the Swiss-Italian frontier, telegraphed yesterday:—Signor Mussolini sent, on Friday night, a letter to Signor d'Annunzio announcing the victory of the Fascisti movement. Signor d'Annunzio's reply came on Saturday, and was published on Sunday by *Popolo d'Italia*.

Signor d'Annunzio's letter, though sympathetic, is rather reserved, and recommends the leader of the Fascisti not to abuse his victory.

THE STOCK EXCHANGE.

VERY QUIET MARKETS.

Stock markets were extremely quiet yesterday, but, on the whole, the tendency was not unsatisfactory, states *The Times*. The carry-over was easily arranged, rates, as a rule, being a shade easier than last time, more particularly in the Home Railway market. War Loan was a dull market in the absence of public support. The firmest markets in the House were those for Argentine Railway Stocks, Brazilian Bonds, and Tea shares.

Very little effect was caused by the relapse in the French exchange. The House will be closed to-morrow, as usual on November 1st.

GENERAL ELECTION.

THE LABOUR ATTACK.

The *Daily Telegraph* observes:—We note, not without apprehension, a certain tendency to under-estimate the possibilities of the Labour attack. Let it be remembered that some of the elements of Labour strength are certainties, and very potent certainties. Excellent organisation, keenly enthusiastic workers, and the unhappy position of great numbers of working people are all points telling very effectively in their favour. On the other hand, their opponents have an exceedingly important possibility to keep in mind and, at all costs, to avert. We refer to the danger of an inadequate poll of the anti-Socialist majority of the electorate.

CONSERVATIVE PROSPECTS.

The *Morning Post* says:—In despite of all discouraging circumstances, and all the excellent reasons invented by discredited politicians why the Conservatives cannot, must not, shall not be returned to power, the fact remains that to the Conservative Party is now proffered one of the finest opportunities ever presented to them. It is the first business of a Conservative Government to revive industry, to restore prosperity, and thereby to relieve, and ultimately to eliminate, the cancer of unemployment. Conservatives possess what no other party in the State possesses—the confidence of the public in their integrity. Trade and commerce are like a vast and delicate machine which cannot be put in motion except in a particular atmosphere. Confidence is the atmosphere. Any taint of mistrust slows down the wheels at once.

FASCIST VICTORY COMPLETE.

COMMUNIST PARTY DISSOLVED.

ITALY'S NEW CABINET.

IRISH TIMES FOREIGN SERVICE.
FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.

ROME, Monday.

The fundamental principles of the Fascist movement are here outlined, as enunciated to me by Signor Mussolini, the Fascist chieftain:—

"We intend to make Italy a strong, industrious, disciplined and peaceful nation. We are not opposed to the Constitution, nor do we have recourse to illegal methods, although it may appear as if we were adopting such a course.

"During the sessions of the last two Legislatures our Constitution was deformed and the laws of the land were disregarded, owing to the advent in the Chamber of deputies of numerous subversive elements and to the weakness of the old statesmen in power.

"WE ARE SUPER-PATRIOTS."

"Parliament, as well as the country, has become riotous. The Fascisti decided to stop the riot, to restore order, and put the Constitution in working order again. If a riot occurs in, for instance, an American city with which the police are not able to cope, private citizens take a hand and quell the disturbance. By assuming the *rôle* of policemen the citizens would not be acting illegally, nor would they be acting in opposition to the municipal laws merely because they excoriated the Administration for its indifference or inability to impose respect for law.

"We are super-citizens, super-patriots. We have but one love. Her name is Italia. Woe unto them who seek to harm her. The Bible expounds the doctrine of an "eye for an eye, a tooth for a tooth." We go that *dictum* one better by proclaiming, "Two eyes for an eye, two teeth for a tooth." If you give Italy one carnation, we will present you in return with two roses; but if you give her a nettle, you will receive a bushel of thistles."

EQUAL RIGHTS: EQUAL DUTIES.

This devotion to the Motherland, this readiness to sacrifice everything for Italy's welfare, as evinced by hundreds of thousands of youths, is Signor Mussolini's conception of a super-democracy. He further defines a super-democracy as not so much a nation in which every citizen enjoys equal rights, but as a nation in which everybody has an equal amount of duty to perform.

The Fascisti intend to respect all treaties previously entered into by Italy, but they will insist that the people of other races living in Italian territory must observe Italian laws.

It is difficult to ascertain how many Fascisti there are in Italy at present, but their ranks are gaining strength every hour. Most of the Fascisti are located between Rome and Italy's Northern border. Reliable information indicates that the "Black Shirts" can easily mobilise an army of half a million.

SIGNOR MUSSOLINI'S TRIUMPH.

Reuter's Rome Correspondent telegraphed last night:—Signor Mussolini has entered Rome. Although dusty, travel-stained, and fatigued, he proceeded direct to the Quirinal Palace, saying that he would not waste a moment, since he had been delayed on his journey by the enthusiastic acclamations of his followers. The former revolutionary leader was greeted everywhere with cries of "Long live the King."

Signor Mussolini said he had been obliged to address the Fascisti at stopping places during the journey and that their discipline and self-control were beyond praise.

The whole city has been on the tiptoe of expectation since the early morning, everyone wishing to see and cheer Signor Mussolini, whose fiery enthusiasm and passionate patriotism have built up so quickly an organisation which has renewed the national spirit of the Italians and swept away entirely the old political system. He has given the Italians hope and faith in the future, and has made them ready for any sacrifice necessary to restore their country, spiritually, politically, and economically.

The Fascisti began their march into Rome as the faint autumnal dawn broke over the city. They came in small bands on foot, in country carts, in motor lorries, in borrowed motor buses, but these were only the precursors of the thousands who will make their triumphal entry to-morrow.

Most of the Fascisti who entered to-day were young men, although some were veterans of the war, with their breasts covered with medals; some were old men with white hair, but with the alertness of youth.

Women in the Movement.

The *Fascisti* movement is not lacking in women, who have nobly borne the hardships and struggles which, until now, have been the lot of the *Fascisti*.

As they marched through the streets of Rome, the *Fascisti* looked solemn and almost transfigured, as though they could hardly believe that they had achieved victory and were entering the capital of Italy unopposed, and even welcomed. Many of them enthusiastically saluted the Eternal City as they entered the gates; others solemnly recalled the memory of those who fought and died to bring about the present victory. Wherever the "Black Shirts" passed, they received a warm welcome, many Romans offering them hospitality, while others shook hands with them, saying in effect, "We know that things will go better for Italy and all of us now."

Signor Mussolini arrived at the station in Rome at 10.50. The immediate neighbourhood of the station was thronged with citizens, who sang patriotic songs and cheered themselves hoarse. The whole city was beflagged.

He drove at once to the Quirinal, where he was received by the King. On leaving the Palace there was another public demonstration. The new Premier called out to the assembled people—"Citizens, in a few hours you will not have a Ministry, but a Government. Long live Italy! Long live the Fascimo!" These cries were taken up by the crowd and repeated amid great enthusiasm.

After Signor Mussolini's departure, the King appeared on a balcony of the Palace, and was loudly cheered by the enthusiastic crowd. The King, who was visibly affected, withdrew after thanking the crowd for their greeting, but was compelled by renewed demonstrations to step on to the balcony again.

The New Cabinet.

The new Cabinet has been constituted as follows:—Prime Minister, Minister of the Interior, and Minister of Foreign Affairs, Signor Mussolini; Minister of War, General Diaz; Minister of Marine, Admiral Thaon Di Revel; Ministry of the Treasury, Signor Inaudi; Nationalist Minister of Industry, Signor Theophilo Rossi; Nationalist Minister of Finance, Signor De Stefani; Fascist Minister of the Colonies, Signor Ferdersoni; Nationalist Minister of the Liberated Regions, Signor Giuriati; Fascist Minister of Justice, Signor Oviglio; Fascist Minister of Education, Signor Gentilo; Democrat Minister of Agriculture, Signor De Capitani; Fascist Minister of Public Works, Signor Carnazza; Nationalist Minister of Posts and Telegraphs, Signor Colonna Di Cesara; Nationalist Minister of Social Welfare, Signor Cavazzoli.

Signor Mussolini, in an interview with journalists, said that the new Government's foreign policy would be firm without being sensational, and would be based on loyalty and friendship towards Italy's Allies.

Collisions with Government Forces.

Telegrams from all parts of Italy indicate that, while isolated clashes and occupations occurred in various cities, the Fascisti operated their *coup* with the minimum of violence.

At Genoa troops prevented the occupation of the Prefecture, and wounded four Fascisti. At Bologna various conflicts occurred, but there were no occupations.

In Rome itself an incident occurred on Sunday night near the Piazza d'Italia as a result of which one person was killed and one seriously injured. An order, issued by the Fascisti Commandant, strictly forbids any independent action, Signor Mussolini having received an official mandate to form a Cabinet. The order adds that any act against Government institutions will be regarded as an act of rebellion against him.

MILAN, Monday.

The offices of the newspaper *Secolo* have been raided and sacked by a force of Nationalists, about a hundred strong. The invaders destroyed the machines.

Sunday passed off quietly in Milan. Theatres and *cafés* were all open and were well attended, while the streets presented a perfectly normal appearance, all the trams and other services working as usual.

Towards evening, however, a party of Fascisti, contrary to the orders of their Commandant, tried to enter the editorial offices of the *Avanti*. They were opposed by the Royal Guards, and shots were exchanged. Ten of the Royal Guards and two Fascisti were seriously wounded.

There have also been collisions between Fascisti and Government forces at Verona and San Ruffino. The Fascisti lost three and the Government troops one killed, and there were several wounded.

Incidents of the Rising.

Reports from Ventimiglia state that the situation at Ventimiglia and San Remo is unchanged. Carabinieri and troops are maintaining services at the railway station. Motor car, motor cycle, and bicycle traffic has been formally prohibited until further notice.

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Communist leaders at SanRemo, Pigna, and Alassio were arrested by Fascisti. It is declared that the Fascisti made them swallow strong doses of castor oil, and then let them go.

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The Queen of Italy arrived in Pisa yesterday from the Royal Chateau at San Rossaro, on a visit to local philanthropic institutions. Her Majesty was enthusiastically acclaimed by the populace.

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Reuter says that the Rome newspaper *Azione* yesterday contained the following paragraph:—"We learn that all members of the Communist Party were informed yesterday evening that the party is ceasing its operations to-day, and that all its members are released from party discipline and duties. It is believed that as a result of this decision the Communist Deputies will resign their seats.

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According to information from British sources in Italy, the *Fascisti* movement is proceeding peacefully. The *Fascisti* have proved to be well disciplined

BAVARIAN CABINET RESIGNS.

DIET TO BE CONVENED.

A semi-official Munich telegram states, says Reuter's Berlin Correspondent, that by now the resignation of the Cabinet of Count von Lerchenfeld is an accomplished fact. The Diet will be convened immediately to elect a new Premier.

MR. COPE'S APPOINTMENT.

Commenting on the appointment of Mr. A. W. Cope to a post in the National Liberal Party, the *Morning Post* says:—Mr. Cope receives, in the first place, what Cecil Rhodes used to call a "globular sum" of £9,000 down. Over and above this, he is given a seven years' contract at a salary of £2,500 a year as Assistant Whip of the National Liberal Party. So far, we have enumerated what Mr. Cope is to receive from the party, but not the least part of the payment is to be made by the country. Mr. Cope is also promised an honour and a seat in Parliament as soon as it can be arranged. We can assure our readers that these as we have every reason to believe, are the terms which have been arranged between Mr. Cope on the one side and the National Liberal Party, of which Mr. Lloyd George is chief in the persons of Mr. McCurdy and Mr. J. T. Davies, on the other.

THE BLACK SHIRTS.

The *Daily Express* says:—Not even its admitted propensity for armed alarms and excursions in the Middle Ages will account for the present portent of Italy—the Fascisti *coup d'état*. Revolutionaries yesterday, to-day they have a Prime Minister to lead them, while those who disapprove denounce them in scathing terms as inverted Bolsheviks, and those who approve as Italy's only bulwark against social chaos on the one side and effete political figureheads on the other. As to their power for good or evil it is too early to judge. The possession of office, however, has a wonderfully soothing effect on all politicians.

More ocean-going vessels have arrived at Montreal this season than last year during the same period, the figure being 722 as compared with 656. The tonnages were 2,618,506 this year against 2,060,567 last year

EBBW VALE COLLIERIES.

MINERS RETURN TO WORK.

After being idle for over six weeks 6,000 men at Ebbw Vale collieries resumed work yesterday, in accordance with the terms of the agreement between the employers and the Miners' Federation.

It is stated that the steel works, which employ 8,000 to 10,000 hands, will not be restarted this year.

CANADA AND FRANCE.

NEGOTIATING A COMMERCIAL AGREEMENT.

Negotiations with regard to the establishment of a commercial agreement between France and Canada were opened at the Ministry of Foreign Affairs in Paris yesterday.

MILITARY ACTIVITY IN SERBIA.

IRISH TIMES FOREIGN SERVICE.
FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.

ATHENS, Monday.

Travellers arriving from Serbia report heavy movements of troop trains, containing infantry and artillery, and a number of supply trains, northwards from Macedonia.

BIG CROPS IN CANADA.

Returns from the threshers in the southern part of Saskatchewan indicate that there are whole districts where the average wheat yield will be in the neighbourhood of 40 bushels to the acre, but about one-half of the threshing still remains to be done. Wheat that was sown on stubble is yielding from 37 to 40 bushels to the acre, while in some cases summer-fallow crops have threshed 50 bushels to the acre.

REDS OCCUPY VLADIVOSTOK.

Reuter learns from Vladivostok that immediately after the Japanese withdrawal on Thursday last, the Whites also departed, and the Reds occupied the town. So far, there have been no disorders

CAPITAL LEVY AS THE ELECTION ISSUE.

"PRODUCE AN ALTERNATIVE AND WE WILL GIVE IT UP."

MR. J. R. CLYNES'S OFFER.

THE one concrete and outstanding issue of the General Election in Great Britain is the Labour plan for a capital levy to reduce the war debt. The only plank which the Unionists of both wings, the National Liberals, and the Independent Liberals have in common is their opposition to this drastic Labour proposal. It was referred to in nearly every speech delivered yesterday, and Mr. J. R. Clynes, at Hucknall, Nottinghamshire, challenged his opponents to bring forward an alternative scheme. He said:—

> The Labour Party is not prejudiced. It will readily give up its capital levy plan if there is a better; but, if the other parties produce no plan, they have no right to say that Labour's scheme could not succeed before it had been tried.
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> The people wanted a declaration of policy from the other parties. Great speeches which meant nothing, and big displays were not helping the country.

IRISH POLICY CRITICISED.

"LACK OF CONSISTENCY AND PRINCIPLE."

Speaking at Hitchin last night, Lord Robert Cecil said:—

Mr. Lloyd George's two utterances—that his Government had been turned out because it was too successful, and that we are on the verge of a hurricane—shows that he has something defective as a director of the policy of this country. Things are serious in Europe because of the late Government's persistent disregard of the warnings given it. Its Irish policy also displayed a lack of consistency and principle.

The new Government is a great improvement on the old one.

NEW IRISH PARTY.

CONVENTION IN LONDON AFTER THE ELECTION.

Mr. T. P. O'Connor presided over a private conference of the Irish electors in Glasgow last night to consider the formation of a new Irish organisation in place of the United Irish League.

Mr. O'Connor stated that he finds a desire among the Irish people for such an organisation, and a constitution will be drawn up, probably at a convention in London after the General Election.

UNIONISTS SUPPORT EX-PREMIER.

The Carnarvon Borough Liberal Association yesterday adopted Mr. Lloyd George as its candidate. Mrs. Lloyd George was present, and, in thanking the Association, remarked that Mr. Lloyd George had fought the constituency successfully eight times. He was now engaged in helping other people to win the election. He had also, as was sometimes suggested, turned his back on Liberalism. Other men who had talked a great deal of Liberal principles had deserted them.

The Carnarvon Borough Unionist Association also pledged itself to support Mr. Lloyd George in recognition of his invaluable services during the war, and upon his assurance of a loyal support to Mr. Bonar Law in resisting Communistic attacks.

ELECTION ITEMS.

Lord Birkenhead will address a meeting under the auspices of the Ideal Unionist Association in Cabra, Dundee, on Thursday week.

Mr. Lloyd George will speak at Newcastle to-day week. The meeting has been fixed for 11 a.m.

A further list of Ministerial appointments will be announced in a day or two. In the case of any appointments which may be deferred no question of by-elections arises, as by the Act passed during the last Parliament Ministers receiving office within nine months from a General Election do not vacate their seats.

Mr. Asquith, who will be accompanied by Mrs. Asquith and Lady Bonham-Carter, arrives in Glasgow from London to-day. In the evening he will be adopted as Independent Liberal candidate for Paisley. Mr. Asquith will speak to-day and every evening until Friday in his constituency.

POINTS FROM SPEECHES.

SIR DONALD MACLEAN:

The subordination of private convictions to Coalition expediency has resulted in the mismanagement of home affairs, gross financial waste, and a vacillating and disastrous foreign policy. The Coalition has fallen in ruins, to the inexpressible relief of the great majority of the country. The lessons taught during, and after, the war of the disastrous results of Government management and interference with business, has made a deep and lasting impression.

The manifesto of the Labour Party, based as it is upon unmitigated Socialism, will be rejected by the nation.

The Independent Liberals had fought a solitary battle for rigid economy, now acknowledged to be one of the supreme needs of the nation. There is nothing in the records of either of the protagonists at Glasgow to justify the nation in placing the slightest reliance upon their being equal to that task.

The Independent Liberals have every reason to be confident concerning the results of the polls, as they have a sound record and clear outlook.

SIR JOHN GILMOUR:

The time has not arrived when we can safely return, completely and wholly, to separate party Government. It is essential that there should be co-operation between all moderate men and women for the common purpose.

I believe that Mr. Bonar Law's Government will be a good Government, but it will only serve the interests of the country so long as it pursues the policy which has been laid down.

SIR JOHN SIMON:

Every other issue is dominated by our alarming financial situation. The Labour Party's remedy of a capital levy, if it could be put into force at the present time, would only create unemployment instead of relieving it. The remedy proposed by the Liberal Party was a charge of policy, the only effective way to relieve the financial situation was to reduce the immense outlay on armaments, and revise and reduce the commitments abroad, and abandon altogether methods of foreign adventure.

MR. WALTER RUNCIMAN:

One must not take it for granted that we have seen the last of the Coalition. There are signs of portions of it holding together. Loyal Conservatives like Mr. Chamberlain and Sir Robert Horne had a way of trickling back into Conservative Cabinets, and may even take Mr. Lloyd George with them. The ethical standards of the Coalition were not high enough. The Government were not trusted at home or abroad, and the Government fell because the Conservative Ministers would not trust the Liberal Ministers.

RETURNING CANDIDATES.

Four members of the late Parliament arrived at Southampton last night by the Cunard liner Aquitania, inward bound from New York. They are Major Brunel Cohen, Sir Herbert Austin, Colonel Josiah Wedgwood, and Mr. Dudley Ward. Although they represented Unionist, Coalition Unionist, Labour, and Coalition Liberal groups, a ship's official stated that these were no political meetings, and the only sign of a storm was the rough weather that the Aquitania ran into on Sunday morning.

THIS WEEK IN THE THEATRES.

POPULAR MUSICAL COMEDY.

There was a very large audience at the Gaiety Theatre last night when "Whirled into Happiness" was produced with all the *cachet* of the George Edwardes name, and it is understood that the bookings for the week's engagement are likely to constitute a "record," even for such productions at the Gaiety. This is not to be wondered at, for it is just the sort of entertainment to draw the multitude—beautifully staged and dressed, bright, tuneful and spiced with humour. It is called a musical farce, and it justifies the title. All the principal parts are most capably filled. Mr. Murray Pilkington fully justifies his great reputation as the high manufacturer, and is ably abetted by Mr. F. Pope Stamper as the hairdresser's assistant. High praise is also due to Miss Margaret Campbell as the old hat manufacturer's daughter, and to Miss Mitchell as Delphine de la Vallière, the music hall star. Mr. Joe Nightingale also deserves special mention. While there is nothing startlingly original about the production, it has many distinctive features, and deserves the success that it has had across the water—a success that has every indication of being repeated throughout its provincial tour.

THEATRE ROYAL.

It is no exaggeration to say that this week's programme at the Theatre Royal is one of the best that has been presented for a very long time. "The Musical Romance" is a very artistic performance, in which a large organ, weighing, it is said, twenty tons is used. There are three pretty scenes, in which Dorothie Squire, Dorothy Hurstable, and William Ferguson appear, while W. F. Rowland Tims plays the organ. The effects produced by the instrument are really remarkable. Rain hissing, a violent storm, and "lightning flashes" accompany the music. A selection of Irish airs, and selections from Mendelssohn, Saint-Saens, Monkton, Chopin, and Wagner were played. There will be a change of the musical programme every evening. Syd Moorhouse sang a few songs, and had something wise to say of the various milestones in life. MacKay, a Scotch comedian, and the Real MacKay's come in at different periods and made very good fun. James Pringle and Edie Aims were excellent with song and story, and Mr. Pringle showed that he is no amateur at the piano. Teddy Williams, comedian, and the "new stars" Johnson and Rickard, as book-maker and backer, contributed to the success of the evening.

QUEEN'S THEATRE.

A successful presentation of the well-known Irish drama, "Arrah-na-Pogue," was given last night at the Queen's Theatre. The romantic nature of the play, and the native humour with which it abounds, make it highly entertaining. The name part was capably filled by Mary Crowe, a newcomer to the Queen's, and Tom Moran made the most of his part as Shaun the Post. The O'Grady was played by Valentine Vousden, who always succeeds in giving his characters a sense of reality. M. P. O'Flanagan played Beamish McCoul, the adored of the peasantry, with success, and Frank Dalton, in the rôle of Michael Feeney (a process server), invested his character with appropriate spirit.

The supporting cast was good, and included:—William Melvyn (Major Colbin); Joseph M'Grath (Oisy Farrell), James Kennedy (Winterbottom), Gilbert Elvin (Sergeant), Louis Dalton (The Secretary of State), Joseph Coogtave (Andy Ragan), James Dillon (Patsey), Babs Dalton (Kitty Walsh), and Dallas Yorke (Fanny Power).

EMPIRE THEATRE.

There was a large and appreciative audience at each "house" at the Empire Theatre last night, when a programme was presented possessing not only all-round merit, but a number of exceptionally attractive variety turns. A musical and vocal speciality, in which there was evidence of talent and training, was presented by Jean Schwiller and Julia Dolaro, both the singing and instrumental music being up to a high standard. Another turn in which the vocal selections were rendered in a manner that evoked hearty applause was that of Bryn Gwyn, baritone, who presented his "Eastern Song Scena" with attractive stage mountings. R. W. Wiley, a dancer, gave a good performance, while other pleasing "turns" were presented by Nellie Stool, comedienne and dancer; Claire Forster, Charles Stevens, comedian; Nellie O'List, in vocal and instrumental selections; and Charles Kasrac and Miss Jordan Palmer, in "Merry Moments."

TIVOLI THEATRE.

At the Tivoli Theatre last night honours were divided between Wesdon, Gaviller, and Co. and Mangin and Kerbel, humorous vocalists. The former troupe, in a comedy act entitled "Tickle his Ear," gave a performance which kept the audience in the best of humour. The acting of the old gentleman—a monkey fancier—and the young gentleman disguised as a monkey was clever, while the able co-operation of the girl made the show a good one. Mangin and Kerbel gave a selection of comic songs. There are many other talented artistes, including Billy Willis, comedian; Jack Belton and Minnie Osborne, in "songs, dances, and interludes"; Lily Moloney, a Dublin mezzo-soprano; and the Fitzgeralds, club manipulators.

STABILISING THE MARK.

SIR JOHN BRADBURY IN BERLIN.

The Reparations Commission arrived in Berlin last evening.

Interviewed by Reuter's Correspondent, Sir John Bradbury said that the Commission would begin work at once, the first step being an official call on the German Chancellor.

He was of the opinion that the Commission's work would last a fortnight.

Asked whether he believed the reparations question would be definitely settled this time, Sir John replied—"One can only hope so."

In reply to a question whether the stabilisation of the mark was the Commission's main purpose, he said—"Well, the stabilisation of the mark includes a lot of things."

MRS. DRAYCOTT'S MURDER.

VLACHOS CONDEMNED TO DEATH

A Reuter's Paris message states that Nicolas Vlachos, the Greek chauffeur, accused of the murder of Mrs. Draycott, his employer's wife, on December 31, was on Monday condemned to death by the Seine Assize Court.

UNEMPLOYMENT IN ULSTER.

The number of persons seeking employment through the medium of the Employment Exchange and Branch Employment Offices of the Ministry of Labour during the two weeks ended October 16 and 23 was as follows:—

	Week ended 23rd.	Week ended 16th.
Men	32,559	32,587
Boys	543	529
Women	14,618	14,547
Girls	385	352
Totals	48,065	47,975

These figures do not include workers on systematic short-time, who numbered 8,946 and 8,910 on the 16th and 23rd, respectively.

PEACE OUTLOOK DARKER.

EFFECT OF REPUBLICAN ACTION.

THE AGRICULTURAL COMMISSION.

(BY OUR POLITICAL CORRESPONDENT.)

The first business to be considered at the resumed meeting of the Provisional Parliament to-morrow will be the Electoral Bill, which embraces the principle of adult suffrage. As all parties are agreed on the principle, there is not likely to be much discussion on matters of detail. In addition to this measure other questions, mainly relating to housing and various phases of local government, will be submitted for discussion.

In addition to the sittings of the Provisional Parliament, there will be the proceedings of the Agricultural and Food Prices Committees, which are expected to begin shortly. As regards the former, it was announced yesterday that a Commission has been appointed by the Government to inquire into, and report on, the causes of the present depression in agriculture, and to recommend such measures as will secure for agriculture and the other industries subordinate to it an assured basis for future expansion and prosperity, with particular reference to:—

(1) The effect of present prices and cost of production on tillage and employment on the land;

(2) The place of the eleven months' grazing system and of ranching in Irish agriculture;

(3) The marketing and transit of Irish agricultural produce;

(4) The provision of alternative employment in the rural districts;

(5) Agricultural education;

(6) Agricultural credit;

(7) The new situation created by the proposed repeal of the Diseases of Animals Act, 1896, and the opening of the English markets to Canadian cattle.

The Commission is to consist of eight members, with a Secretary, and the following is the personnel:—

Mr. James MacNeill; Mr. Richard A. Butler, Pope's Hall, Skerries; Professor Drew National University; Sir John Keane, Cappoquin; Mr. Thomas Johnson, M.P.; Mr. Mansfield, ex-President Irish National Teachers' Organisation.

In addition to the foregoing, a member is to be nominated by the Government Party in the Dail, and another member by the Independent Party in the Dail.

Mr. M. J. Heavey, Land Settlement Commission, is to act as Secretary.

The work of the Commission will be carried on at 35 St. Stephen's Green, Dublin, but it will have offices also in other towns as are fit for occupation. As it is very important that the Commission shall commence its deliberations at once, a preliminary meeting of the Commission will be convened at some temporary offices not later than Friday next.

The personnel and terms of references of the Food Prices Commission have not yet been completed, but it is expected that the Commission will be sitting in public next week.

Peace prospects, according to trustworthy authorities, have not been improved by the recent proclamation of the Anti-Treaty Party. It is generally believed that the advantage made in the past fortnight have been nullified by the latest decision of Mr. de Valera and his colleagues.

LARNE AND VICEROY.

SIR JAMES CRAIG THANKS URBAN COUNCIL.

Sir James Craig, Prime Minister of Northern Ireland, has written as follows to Mr. W. G. Younge, Clerk of the Larne Urban District Council, under date 27th October:—

"DEAR MR. YOUNGE,—I desire to tender my personal thanks to you and the members of the Urban District Council of Larne for the excellent arrangements made on the occasion of the Viceregal visit, and for the hearty welcome on their Excellencies' arrival. Everything went smoothly, and the Lord Lieutenant assured me that he deeply appreciated everything done for his comforts. Will you be kind enough to convey to the members of the Council this message of appreciation and thanks.—Yours sincerely,

JAMES CRAIG."

MESSAGE TO BALLYMENA.

At a meeting of the Ballymena Board of Guardians, Mr. Samuel Watson, Chairman, presiding, the following letter from Sir James Craig to the Acting Clerk was read:—

"DEAR MR. HOUSTON,—Will you be good enough to convey to the members of the Ballymena Board of Guardians and Rural District Council my very hearty thanks for the kindness and courtesy extended to His Excellency, and assure you and all that the success of his visit to the North was assured by the heartiness of their welcome to Ballymena. It was a source of gratification to me that the citizens responded so enthusiastically in welcoming the representative of the Sovereign, and I feel assured that His Majesty will be greatly touched when he learns from His Excellency of the continued loyalty of Northern Ireland to the Throne. Everything went off splendidly, and Their Excellencies left yesterday with the cheers of Ulster ringing in their ears."

WHERE MAN DOES NOT SHINE.

A FAILURE AS DOMESTIC SERVANT.

As a domestic servant, man is declared to be a failure. This is the verdict given as a result of inquiries in various quarters in London yesterday. There are exceptions, of course, and the judgment does not apply to the trained professional male domestic of Mayfair and Belgravia, but to the casuals, the ex-Service men, who, finding other kinds of employment unavailable, have tried their hand at woman's work till something better turns up.

Generally speaking, said Mr. J. B. Griffin, of the British Legion, our experience with the ex-Service man as a domestic servant has not been a success. He would be all right as a waiter or butler, but to fill the rôle previously filled by a woman, such as a chambermaid—well, these are hardly the functions you could expect a man to perform.

The head of a West-End employment bureau—a woman, dealing only with women servants—bears out the view that lack of experience operates against the chances of men finding domestic work. I have a lot of men coming in daily, she said, but I cannot do much for them, because they have no experience.

NEW ZEALAND DAIRY PRODUCE.

CONTROL BILL NOT TO BE PRESSED.

Mr. Massey, the Prime Minister, announced in Parliament to-day (says a Reuter message dated Wellington, Monday) that it was not intended to press the Dairy Produce Export Control Bill through this session.

The great majority in the House and the country, he declared, favoured the bill, but there had been some opposition, and he thought that it was better that both sides should have an opportunity of considering the proposals in the bill during the recess, and of endeavouring to arrive at a solution of the points of difference.

It is understood that this decision is the result of the intention of the opponents of the bill to retard its passage, which would have meant the prolongation of the session.

UNFORGETTABLE.

ANGLO-BELGIAN WAR EXPERIENCE.

The Minister of National Defence, says Reuter's Brussels Correspondent, has received a telegram from Lord Derby, expressing the sincere hope that the friendly relations existing between the British and Belgian Armies will be maintained and strengthened during his tenure of office as Minister of War.

M. Devoes, Belgian Minister of National Defence, replied as follows:—I was deeply touched by your telegram, and I associate myself entirely with the sentiments and hopes it expresses. The Belgian Army will never forget that the valiant British Army fought victoriously at his side for the maintenance of our national independence and in the defence of right.

BANK OF IRELAND CLERKSHIPS.

Candidates should note that at the last examination 10 Appointments, with First Place, were gained by pupils of Roses Collegs, Stephen's Green. First Place gained on 11 occasions. —(Advt.)

U.S. READY TO HELP EUROPE.

MR. HUGHES ON BURDEN OF ARMAMENTS.

WASHINGTON TREATIES WILL BE RATIFIED.

Mr. Hughes, the United States Secretary of State, in an address at Boston, reviewing the American position in the field of international relations, described the policy of the United States as one of hopefulness and good understanding as far as Europe was concerned.

He declared that the Government had always been ready to lend a helping hand where it would do most good, but it was unwilling to fritter away the influence of the United States by intervention in controversy which was rooted in ancient national rivalries.

Mr. Hughes believed that a way might be found for the United States to take a formal part in the selection of judges to the recently-organised International Court of Justice.

Already, in a humanitarian way, and through the channels of trade, the United States was giving aid of an incalculable value, and he asserted that the Armaments Conference had resulted in the rescue of the world from despair.

He predicted that, in spite of the present delay, the Washington Treaties would be ratified by all the signatory Powers.

Mr. Hughes added that the reason that the main problems of Europe cannot be solved lies in the fact that each major difficulty centres in the self-determined action of an independent State, and is beyond external control.

Europe at this moment is burdened with the expenses of large armies, which are heavily disproportionate to the financial ability of their respective States to maintain.

The Secretary of State proceeded to praise Senator Lodge, who is now in the midst of a re-election campaign.

FOREIGN NEWS IN BRIEF.

Brasil is contributing a sum of £1,000 towards the relief fund for refugees in the Near East.

Lieutenant Innemaro, a French airman, has flown from Paris to Pau, 630 kilometres (392 miles), in three hours and a-half.

Mr. Fielding, the Canadian Minister of Finance, has arrived in Paris to sign the commercial treaty between France and Canada.

The dead body of a young man carrying papers in the name of Hatton Devereux White was found in the Seine in Paris on Friday.

Arrangements have been sanctioned by the Belgian Chamber for the interment of the body of the "Unknown Soldier" on November 11 at Brussels.

Twenty-three soldiers of the Moscow Tchon (special guard) detachment, who refused to shoot a number of priests and laymen condemned to death by the Petrograd Tribunal, are to be put on trial.

Paris newspapers declare that the explosion experiment at Oldebrook appears to have been a complete failure.

MYSTERIOUS IRISHMAN.

DISAPPEARS IN PARIS.

Early on Sunday morning, says a Reuter's Paris message, a policeman on beat at the Quai d'Antenby saw a young man carrying a valise. Later the policeman saw the valise on the pavement, but the man had disappeared. The river was dragged without result. Papers in the valise indicate that the owner was an Irishman.

EX-KAISER'S WEDDING.

DAUGHTER-IN-LAW REFUSES TO ATTEND.

The ex-Crown Prince will attend the ex-Kaiser's wedding, but he will not be accompanied by the ex-Crown Princess, who strongly disapproves of the marriage.

Princess Hermine von Carolath will arrive at Amerongen on November 4th, and will stay with Count Bentinck (says a Reuter's wire).

EXPRESS TRAIN ALARM.

PASSENGER COACH DERAILED.

Yesterday morning the first coach of the Blackpool to Manchester express had one of its front wheels derailed when passing a water trough near Walkden, a few miles from Manchester. For nearly a mile the coach jumped along, cutting through many of the iron chairs, and causing great discomfort and alarm among the passengers, who were mostly Manchester business men.

When the train was pulled up it was found that no one had been injured, though many were severely shaken. Traffic was delayed during the morning from Southport and Liverpool, as well as from Preston and Blackpool.

CAPTAIN ATTACKED WITH RAZOR

Captain Rat, President of the Association of Long Voyage Sea Captains, was attacked at Marseilles with a razor and wounded in the thigh by a young man, who is said to be an epileptic. The captain had gone to the assistance of his son, who had been attacked by the assailant, and wounded behind the ear.

AMERICAN MAJOR ATTACKED.

Major Sauerweun, of the American Army of Occupation, was found unconscious in a train between Coblenz and Frankfurt-on-Main. It is reported that he had been robbed (says Reuter's Berlin Correspondent).

JAPAN ECONOMISING.

The Japanese Finance Department has further reduced the Navy estimates in the forthcoming Budget by 30 million yen, making a total reduction of over 100 million yen, says Reuter.

GOOD BELGIAN BUDGET.

An Exchange telegram from Brussels states that a general *résumé* of the Budget for 1923 has just been published, and shows that the public expenditure is being definitely reduced, the efforts made for 1923 having resulted in a reduction of 30,000,000 francs as compared with the previous year, and 75,000,000 as compared with 1921.

It is officially reported that the number of unemployed in Belgium on 30th September last was 26,000, against 28,000 on 30th August.

RELIEF WORKER MURDERED.

The Near East Relief Committee in New York has been notified of the murder by bandits of Mr. James Lester Wright, one of their workers, while he was conducting a thousand Armenian orphans from Harpoot to Aleppo.

SIX-COUNTY ELECTIONS.

THE BELFAST DIVISIONS.

The Belfast nominations have been fixed for Saturday, when the Under Sheriff will receive them in the City Hall between 10 a.m. and noon. Polling, in the event of contests, will take place on the Wednesday following.

Mr. T. J. Moles had the unanimous approval of the Unionist Executive in South Belfast on Saturday evening. In the North, Mr. T. E. M'Connell is assured of a new lease of confidence. The position in the West is somewhat uncertain as yet. Mr. Devlin has definitely decided not to contest the seat further. The Unionist candidate has not yet been chosen.

The most piquant situation in the city is in the East. The Pottinger and Victoria joint Unionist Associations will meet to-day to select a candidate, and the probability is that Captain Herbert Dixon, the Chief Whip in the Northern Government, will be honoured by an invitation to stand. Mr. Thompson Donald is a keen aspirant, and has authorised the statement that he will contest the seat in any event Sir William Whitla will continue to represent Belfast University.

In the provinces the only official Unionist selected up to the present is Lieutenant-Colonel Sir William Allen, D.S.O., D.L., for Armagh. It is believed that for County Down Mr. D. D. Reid and Rev. Dr. Simms, C.B., will be asked to stand; in Antrim the official Unionist choice is expected to be the Right Hon. Hugh O'Neill, Speaker in the Northern Commons, and Captain C. C. Craig, D.L., Chairman of the Ulster Unionist Party at Westminster. Mr. Hogge and Mr. Hanna, one of the former members for this county, is credited with the intention of again coming forward. For Londonderry city and county the choice will be between the two ex-members, Brigadier-General Sir William Hackett Pain and Sir Malcolm Macnaghten.

OBITUARY.

MR. WALTER GRAY.

The death was announced in London yesterday of Walter Gray, for thirty years racquets coach at Charterhouse School, in his 68th year. He was the youngest member of the famous brotherhood, and in 1885 unsuccessfully challenged Peter Latham for the Racquets Championship.

IRISH RAILWAY PROBLEM.

STOCKHOLDERS' PLAN.

CREATION OF NEW CONTROL BOARD.

FINANCE OF THE SCHEME.

The Irish Railway Stockholders' Association, through Mr. John Mackie, its secretary, put a plan of settlement of the Irish railway problem before the Railway Commission on the 23rd May last.

A summary of the proposals appeared in the *Irish Times* of the next day, but in view of the urgency and importance of the matter we re-publish a brief outline of the scheme.

It is suggested that the best solution of the Irish railway problem, from the point of view of proprietors, railway workers, and users, would be the creation of an Irish Railway Board which would take over all the Irish railway undertakings, including the Baronial Guaranteed railways, and which would be administered by (a) elected persons representing the stockholders and the users who pay charges on goods, and (b) appointed persons representing the Government of Southern Ireland and the Government of Northern Ireland.

One authority is suggested, as it is believed that commonsense will eventually prevail in the relations between the Dublin and Belfast Parliaments, and that they will recognise the necessity and desirability of co-operating in such a matter as the railways.

The value of every railway undertaking in Ireland when ascertained should be paid for in Irish Railway Board Stocks carrying varying rights of priority and bearing (say 4) per cent. interest, and the Stocks allotted to each undertaking should be distributed by its directors amongst the parties entitled to the purchase money on such basis as may be agreed, after which the undertaking should be formally wound up, since the proprietors would then have become Stockholders in the Irish Railway Board.

The total purchase money of each undertaking should be ascertained on an income basis, but due allowance must also be made, not only for the varying rights of stock and shareholders as amongst themselves in each company, but also for the market value of the various kinds of stocks of each company as compared with the corresponding stocks of the other companies.

GOVERNMENT GRANTS.

All the expenses in connection with the transfer of the various railway undertakings to the Railway Board should be paid by the Board, but the cost of winding up each undertaking, including the payment of necessary compensation, should be discharged out of the agreed purchase money.

The Governments of Southern and Northern Ireland should join in guaranteeing the total interest payable by the Board for a period of 25 years, provided that no payment in this connection should be made where a deficiency in net revenue is proved to be due to lack of efficiency or economy in the management.

The Governments of Southern and Northern Ireland should in the first 25 years make grants totalling £3,250,000, beginning in the first year with a grant of £250,000, and ending in the 25th year with £10,000.

The maximum number of elected members of the Railway Board might be twenty, and the maximum number of appointed members ten.

With the object of promoting harmonious relations in the working of the Irish railway system, the Railway Board should formulate a scheme embodying reasonable rates of pay for the workers, satisfactory conditions of service, and provisions for the settlement of differences.

VITAL STATISTICS.

DEATHS IN DUBLIN AREA.

The Registrar-General's weekly returns for the week ending October 21, 1922, states that the deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population:—Twelve town districts, 11.6 and 13.3; Dublin registration area, 12.1 and 12.9; Dublin City, 12.4 and 12.9; Cork, 12.9 and 15.5; Limerick, 10.8 and 15.6; and Waterford, 7.6 and 14.7.

The deaths from certain epidemic diseases registered in the twelve town districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 0.3 per 1,000. Among the eight deaths from all causes for Limerick is one from influenza; and one of the deaths from all causes for Wexford is from measles.

In the Dublin registration area the total number of births registered during the week amounted to 239—122 boys and 117 girls—and the deaths to 108—44 males and 64 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 15) of persons admitted to public institutions from localities outside the Dublin registration area, were equal to an annual rate of mortality of 11.2 per 1,000 of the population. During the forty-two weeks ending with Saturday last, the death-rate averaged 17.5, and was 2.7 below the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years 1913-22, while the rate for all deaths registered during the forty-two weeks was 19.0, and for the corresponding period of the preceding ten years 21.8.

Included in the 108 deaths appertaining to the area are one from diphtheria and two from diarrhœa and enteritis of children under two years. In the three preceding weeks deaths from diphtheria were 0, 1, and 0; and deaths from diarrhœa and enteritis of children under two years 4, 7, and 2.

There were three deaths from pneumonia, comprising one from bronchic pneumonia, one from lobar pneumonia, and one form pneumonia (not otherwise defined).

Tuberculous disease caused 13 deaths (including 10 from pulmonary tuberculosis, one from tuberculous meningitis, one from abdominal tuberculosis, and one from general tuberculosis), as against 14, 13, and 14 from all form of tuberculous disease in the three weeks preceding.

Nine deaths were caused by cancer, nine by organic disease of the heart, and six by bronchitis.

Two accidental deaths were registered, of which one was caused by burns and one by drowning.

Seventeen of the deaths registered during the week appertaining to the area were those of children under 5 years of age, 14 being infants under one year, of whom eight were under one month old; and 25 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 19 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 92 deaths recorded, 32 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

The mortality among civilians for the week ended 21st October in 105 large English towns (including London, in which the rate was 10.0) was equal to an average annual death-rate of 10.3 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death-rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland was 12.2 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 12.4 and for Edinburgh 11.7.

SMALLPOX SCARE.

MANY INSURANCES EFFECTED AT LLOYD'S.

Considerable anxiety has been caused in London by the outbreak of smallpox in Poplar Workhouse, where there are 21 cases of the disease.

Quite a considerable business was done at Lloyd's yesterday in insurance against smallpox.

The majority of the insurances contracted to pay a total loss if the insured contracted the disease, which meant that death need not necessarily follow to ensure payment.

One underwriter (says a London Correspondent) wrote fifty insurances before 11 o'clock yesterday morning, the rates quoted being 1½ per cent. if the insured had been vaccinated within the last ten years, and 2½ otherwise, the minimum premium being 25s.

Mr. Edgar Lansbury, Chairman of the Poplar Guardians and Chairman of the Emergency Committee, set up yesterday to deal with the outbreak, stated in an interview:—"Although there are a large number of people in the institution, and although it is clear that the first case must have been walking about the institution before it was discovered the patient was suffering from smallpox, all the inmates have now been examined and the staff of doctors is vaccinating everybody except those who object."

Inquirers at the Poplar institution yesterday were assured that there were no new cases to report, and that everything was going on very satisfactorily.

BANK CLERKSHIPS (MALE).

Since January, 1921, 139 Students of Synnott's College, 76 Stephen's Green, Dublin, were successful at Bank exams.—viz., National 49, Bank of Ireland 34, Hibernian 26, Munster and Leinster 24, Provincial 14, Ulster 4, Northern 3, London County Westminster and Parr's. Special Oral and Correspondence Classes working for all Bank exams.—(Advt.)

IRISH POLICE IN LONDON.

SEQUEL TO ARREST OF A CORK MAN.

YACHT CLUB OFFICIAL CHARGED.

Arrested just as he was about to board a Sydney bound vessel at the London Docks, a Cork man was the cause for the first appearance in London of the newly formed Irish Government police, says our London Correspondent.

The man, who is described as an official of a yacht club, is wanted on charges of fraud, and alleged wife desertion.

His whereabouts in England became known to the police authorities in Dublin, and a request for his apprehension was made by Dublin Castle to the Metropolitan Police authorities.

Officers from Scotland Yard arrested him, and three officers, Inspectors Casserlay and Guards Phelan and Robinson, arrived and took the prisoner over from the police at Paddington Green Station, where he had been detained.

PASSAU INCIDENT.

STRONG PROTEST TO GERMANY.

The Inter-Allied Military Control Commission has, says Reuter's Berlin Correspondent, forwarded a very strong protest to the German Government on the subject of the recent incident at Passau, when British and French officers were attacked and shot at.

The protest states that it would be well if the German Government and people would remember that at the time of signing the Treaty of Versailles, when the carriage containing the German delegates was stoned, M. Clemenceau, within a few hours, removed from their posts the Prefect of the Department and the Chief of Police, because they did not keep order in their district, and that this happened at a time when public feeling against Germans was very excited.

The Commission further stated that it was hoped that the German Government would bear this incident in mind, and severely punish those who were responsible for the outrage at Passau, which was carried out without provocation, and apparently premeditated.

SPECIALS' OFFICER AND PRIEST.

FERMANAGH LIBEL APPEAL.

In the Court of Appeal, Northern Ireland, before the Lord Chief Justice, Lord Justice Moore, and Lord Justice Andrews, an appeal was heard in an action for libel in which the plaintiff was Captain Charles Albert Beattie, an officer in the Special Constabulary, stationed at Garrison (Co. Fermanagh), against Rev. Eugene Coyle, P.P., Garrison; James M'Donagh, pensioner, Enniskillen; and William P. Dolan, Belfast, and the *Independent* Newspapers, Limited, Dublin.

The actions were brought for libel which was contained in a paragraph published in the *Irish Daily Independent* on 10th June, 1922. The statement complained of purported to be a confession by a dying man, who had been seriously wounded near Garrison, County Fermanagh, in which allegations were made against Captain Beattie as Captain of the Constabulary. The action had been brought against the three defendants within the jurisdiction of Northern Ireland, and the plaintiff had applied for liberty to issue and serve a concurrent writ on the *Independent* Newspapers, Limited, out of the jurisdiction, which was granted. The *Independent* newspapers, Limited, applied to the King's Bench in Dublin to discharge that order, and Mr. Justice Brown had refused that application with costs. The present application was an appeal against Mr. Justice Brown's decision.

Mr. E. S. Murphy, K.C., and Mr William Lowry (instructed by Mr Frank Kerr) for the *Independent* Newspapers, Limited, contended that the affidavit on which the original order was made did not contain the necessary averment that the action could be more cheaply and expeditiously tried in Northern Ireland.

Mr. R. D. Megaw, K.C., M.P., and Mr. W. F. M'Coy (instructed by Mr. James Cooper, M.P., Enniskillen) appeared for the plaintiff.

Without calling upon the plaintiff's counsel, the Lord Chief Justice dismissed the appeal, with costs.

A second action against the same defendants, in which the plaintiff was Robert Robinson, commercial traveller, Garrison, was similarly dealt with.

COMPENSATION CLAIMS.

DERRY COUNTY COUNCIL AND THE IMPERIAL GOVERNMENT.

The Finance Committee of Londonderry Co. Council met in Coleraine, Mr. J. E. O'Neill, J.P., presiding.

Relative to claims for compensation in respect of criminal injuries, the secretary intimated that the Council had paid all decrees up to January last, present year, in order to qualify for the Government grant of 60 per cent. They had received £5,000 of the grant, and expected another £6,000. Since January the claims received amounted to £120,000, and the Recorder of Magherafelt had to deal with further claims amounting to £140,000. The Northern Government was endeavouring to get as much as possible from the Imperial Government, which had promised 80 per cent. It really should be at least 80 per cent.

The Chairman said that they could only express the hope that whatever party succeeded at the forthcoming election would give them all the assistance possible in the practical discharge of their own obligations.

Mr. Christie—There is no doubt that the Imperial Government is legally and morally responsible.

Mr. Browne—It was the primary cause.

The secretary said that the Northern Government was doing all it possibly could in the matter. At the request of the Ministry of Home Affairs he had furnished a return of the claims to date.

Mr. Heslett—Our chairman (Mr. Long) is a member of the Northern Senate and he will look into this matter.

NEWSPAPER OFFICES ROBBED.

Three armed men raided the branch offices of the *Irish Daily Independent* in Belfast yesterday afternoon. They closed the door, and ordered the manager and his assistant to hold up their hands. Having tied their hands, the raiders searched the office, taking £15 and a gold watch. They decamped, ordering the manager not to stir for fifteen minutes. By the time the manager had freed himself the men had disappeared.

45: AGE LIMIT FOR AIRMEN.

The first public session of the International Commission for Air Navigation was held at 124 Palace Yard, Westminster, and countries which have ratified the Aerial Convention signed in 1919 being represented.

Sir William Sefton Brancker, who presided, said that much would be discussed of a private nature, but the policy which would be pursued would probably be to have at least one public session.

The Committee recommended, among other things, that no pilot should be engaged before the age of 20, or after reaching the age of 45 years. This recommendation was adopted.

The Commission agreed that all aircraft engaged in public transport must carry wireless. At present this only applied to those able to carry more than ten persons.

The Commission decided to hold the next assembly at Brussels in February.

FARM BOYS' CLUBS.

The organisation of clubs for boys on the farms of Manitoba has become an important part of the agricultural education in the province. Clubs are organised, among other purposes, for the raising of pigs, and 60 boys, members of these clubs, are spending the week in Winnipeg as the guests of the Provincial Department of Agriculture. While in Winnipeg they are residing in the Manitoba Agricultural College. The mornings will be devoted to instruction in live stock judging and to inspection of the stockyards, etc. Theatre parties and banquets will furnish the social side of their week's visit to the city.

A RECORD GRAIN SHIPMENT.

From September first to October fifth, the Canadian Pacific Railway has marketed 68,272,864 bushels of grain. During the same period, 35,484 cars were loaded, which is the equivalent to 51,180,789 bushels. The previous highest figures recorded were in 1917, when the company marketed 32,023,000 bushels and loaded 23,473 cars, which is equal to 29,887,760 bushels.

300 ULSTERMEN FOR ENGLAND.

TO STATE THE CASE FOR THE NORTH.

LORD CARSON'S ANXIETY

Two hundred delegates from Ulster who are to visit Great Britain to interview the Conservative candidates at the coming elections and obtain pledges to support Ulster were entertained to dinner last night by the Ulster Unionist Council in Belfast. About half the delegates are ladies. One hundred and seventy delegates are visiting English and Welsh constituencies and thirty are proceeding to Scotland.

After dinner S

INCENDIARIES AT WORK.

ATTEMPT ON INCOME TAX OFFICE.

BOMBING TROOPS IN CORK.

Armed men bearing petrol in bottles yesterday entered the Income Tax Office in The Square, Dundalk, their object being to fire the premises. The inspector, seeing them ascend the stairs, locked a door, and one of the men fired at and wounded him. The others then fled, leaving the petrol bottles behind them.

Two Mills bombs were thrown at a turret car containing National Troops in Patrick street, Cork, yesterday. The soldiers were uninjured. Many civilians had narrow escapes, the street being crowded at the time.

COUNTY CORK.

BOMB OUTRAGES.

National Troops Attacked; Narrow Escapes in Crowded Street.

Civilians had remarkable escapes, says our Correspondent, when at noon yesterday, in Patrick street, Cork, two bombs—a Mills No. 5 and a Mills No. 9—were thrown at a motor touring car in which national soldiers were driving.

The scene of the attack was near the Father Mathew Statue, the central station for the trams, a place that is generally crowded, and where traffic is usually heavy.

The explosions created something like consternation. The touring car had gone some yards before the explosions took place, and the soldiers were completely out of danger.

The bomb-throwers took up positions near the corner of Drawbridge street, in order to have a line of retreat, and also across the street, where there is an intersecting laneway.

One bomb struck the wooden pavement, almost in a line with the Irish Lace House, while the second lodged on the wooden pavement on the opposite side of the street, in the direction of Messrs. Evans's establishment.

TRAMCAR STRUCK.

The large-size bomb hit the ironwork of a passing tram car. The fragments of the bomb perforated the windows of Messrs. Dowden's and Pigott's shops and those of the Irish Lace House.

The passengers in the tram car were terrified. One of the lady occupants fainted, and had to be assisted out. The car was not much damaged.

A narrow escape was that of a lady who had the heel of her boot blown off by a splinter of a bomb, and was so overcome that she collapsed. She was of the opinion that the bombs were thrown by two young men. On the other hand, it was asserted by passers-by that the missiles were either hurled from windows of the houses in Patrick street or from the roofs.

A strong party of national troops was quickly on the scene, and a careful search was made of the houses in the neighbourhood, but without result.

Street attacks in Cork have become frequent of late, but not a single casualty has yet been suffered by the troops. On the other hand, there has been a heavy toll among civilians, including children and old men.

Several people were knocked down by the force of yesterday's explosions.

REPUBLICANS ARRESTED.

Further important captures are officially reported, including the leader and quartermaster of a column operating in Fermoy district. Other prisoners were also taken in that district. In Rosscarbery the leader of the Republicans, James Hayes, was taken at Fox Hall, together with six other prominent members of the movement there.

COUNTY KERRY.

ROADSIDE INCIDENT.

Republicans Surprised; One Killed and Two Wounded.

Our Killarney Correspondent reports that twenty cyclists surprised a party of Republicans on Killorglin road on Wednesday. The Republicans fled, but were pursued, one being killed and two wounded. The remainder escaped, taking their wounded with them. The haversack and equipment of the dead Republican bore the name, "W. Riordan." The national troops suffered no loss. They captured two rifles, one hundred rounds of ammunition, and other articles. The body of the dead man was taken to Killarney barracks for identification.

COUNTY TIPPERARY.

CLERGYMAN'S HOUSE RAIDED.

The residence of the Rev. J. J. Cowen, Rector of Castletown, Nenagh, Co. Tipperary, was raided on Saturday night by a number of armed and disguised men, who locked the rev. gentleman, his wife, family, and servants in a room while they ransacked the house, carrying off a large quantity of valuables. They also seized the bed clothes and took them away.

The residence of Mrs. Atkinson, Solsborough House, Nenagh, was also raided, and a quantity of articles was stolen.

No arrests were made in either case.

COUNTY SLIGO.

LOCAL PEOPLE REPAIR BRIDGE.

When armed men last week destroyed the temporary bridge at Drumcliffe, Co. Sligo, they used threats of violence towards any persons who would attempt to effect repairs. Yesterday, however, the people of the district, led by the Rev. Father Currid, P.P., assembled and effected temporary repairs to the bridge, which is one of the main connecting links between North Sligo and the town. At a meeting of the Sligo County Council it transpired that £20,000 of last year's rates were still outstanding. A resolution was adopted threatening the rate collectors with suspension or dismissal unless they made an effort to get in the rates by next meeting.

COUNTY LOUTH.

INCENDIARIES FAIL.

Attempt to Fire Income Tax Offices: Inspector Wounded.

Yesterday afternoon, says our Dundalk Correspondent, an attempt was made to fire the Income Tax office in the Market square—the most frequented district of Dundalk. It was market day, and there were thousands of people in the neighbourhood of the square.

At the moment when the attempt was made national soldiers were on duty on the opposite side of the square regulating traffic and keeping a passage clear to the courthouse, where the Quarter Sessions were being held.

Shortly after one o'clock most of the clerks had gone to dinner, and the inspector, Mr. Breen, was coming down the stairs, when he met three young men going up. They were armed and carried parcels. Mr. Breen, realising that something was wrong, attempted to delay the men by locking the door of the office.

The men were unmasked and in their working clothes. When they saw the door being locked one of them fired his revolver. The bullet struck Mr. Breen on the left leg, penetrated the office door, and was found on the floor. It is described as "a home-made bullet."

Mr. Kingston, one of the clerks, who had come from the office on hearing the report of the shot, saw the inspector limp along the wall and heard him say, "I am shot."

One of the raiders then rushed into the office, while his two companions remained outside, and, shouting to the clerks, ordered them to put their hands up.

Mr. Kingston asked for assistance for the injured inspector, and the clerks went for help, the raiders informing them that they would not shoot.

Apparently the men, who had come to burn the office, took fright, for they left without making any attempt to set it alight. Later three bottles of petrol all of them wrapped in straw, were found on the stairs. The raiders, in their retreat, had flung them through the office window.

Dr. O'Hagan attended to Mr. Breen, who was removed to the County Infirmary.

Yesterday's was the second attempt on the Dundalk Income Tax Department. On Labour Day in 1920 the offices in Park street, then used by the Department, were fired during the dinner hour by a party of armed men. Since then the Department has been worked from the Market House.

COUNTY LIMERICK.

SOLDIER'S DEATH.

How Lieutenant Hanrahan Was Shot; Plucky Girl's Action.

The body of Private Gilchrist, of the national army, was brought to Limerick by boat on Sunday. It is understood that he was killed in the Kerry fighting. The remains were removed by motor car to his native place, Co. Longford. In the boat was also Private Bernard Kiely, a Limerick man, who was seriously wounded in the same engagement.

An inquest was held last evening in the Town Hall, Limerick, concerning the shooting of Lieutenant Joseph Hanrahan on the night of the 17th inst.

Mr. Moran, solicitor, appearing for the military, described the shooting of Mr. Hanrahan as one of the most disgraceful that had taken place in the city recently. At the time when he was mortally wounded Mr. Hanrahan was walking with a girl friend, and they were surrounded by five men, who fired in their direction. Two of these would be identified as having been concerned in the murder, and he asked the jury when they heard the evidence to bring in a verdict of wilful murder.

The evidence of Thomas Quinlan, of Dixon's lane, was to the effect that he accompanied a girl named Waters for a walk on Roxborough road on the night in question, his friend, Lieutenant Hanrahan being with Miss Cowell. When they reached a boreen five men passed on the road. These men stood a distance away, and later when Hanrahan and Miss Cowell were thirty yards ahead of witness he heard a volley of shots. After the firing Hanrahan ran, and he did not see him till he saw him on a stretcher at the railway locomotive works.

One of the five men approached witness, and asked him if he knew him. Witness said that it was an unmanly act, and "not playing the game." The man made a stroke at witness, but the blow missed and struck Miss Waters, who pulled the handkerchief off the man's face. Witness recognised the man who had the revolver in his hand as "Eberty" Fitzgibbon, whom he knew very well.

"YOU HAVE GOT ME."

When he saw Hanrahan at the locomotive works wounded, Hanrahan said to him—"Oh, 'Eberty,' you have got me." Witness added that before the mask was taken from his face he knew his voice.

John Hanrahan, brother of Lieutenant Hanrahan, stated that when he saw his brother after being wounded he said to him, "Berty got me."

Sergeant O'Donnell stated that in St. John's Hospital, after the shooting, Lieutenant Hanrahan made an information to the Inspector of the Civil Guard, but refused to give the name of the man who shot him.

Kathleen Cowell, who was with Lieutenant Hanrahan when he was fired at, stated that she identified two of the men who were the attackers. They were "Eberty" Fitzgibbon and "Energy" O'Connor.

Lily Waters, who was walking with Mr. Quinlan, giving corroborative evidence, stated that after the firing she pulled a handkerchief off a man's face, whom she recognised as "Eberty" Fitzgibbon. She also recognised O'Connor.

The jury returned the following verdict:—"Deceased died from the effect of gun-shot wounds."

Lieutenant Kelly—Did they say at all that the wounds were self-inflicted?

The Coroner—The verdict, as I read it.

Lieutenant Kelly (sarcastically)—If I were on a jury I would have the moral courage to do my duty.

HIGH PRICES.

GROCERY TRADERS' DEFENCE.

COST OF WHISKEY.

Prices of whiskey, tea, sugar, ham and bacon, and of general groceries were discussed at yesterday's sitting of the Northern Government's Departmental Committee on the cost of living.

Evidence was submitted on behalf of the Belfast and Ulster Family Grocers' and Spirit Dealers' Association, the Irish Produce Merchants' Society, and the Belfast and North of Ireland Grocers' Association.

Mr. John O'Rourke, for the first-named organisation, stated that he represented 400 licensed grocers in the city, who carried on business mainly in working-class districts. He presented figures showing prices prevailing in 1913 and present prices of goods usually stocked by grocers. He pointed out that at the present time competition was very keen owing to the scarcity of money. The figures, he claimed, showed an increase to-day of 52 per cent. The amount of money involved in certain articles and the net profits were not equal to the profits of 1913. He contended that the retailer was not a "profiteer," as the percentage of profit barely covered working expenses and cost of living. It was only by keen purchasing that a profit could be obtained in most commodities.

The remedy for high prices was, in his opinion, mass production, and a substantial reduction in taxable goods. In other words, what was required was a workingman's budget. So far as his trade was concerned, there was no ring; it was a case of everyone for himself. In regard to bread, it was not the custom to charge extra for paper wrapping.

In answer to Mr. F. Gilliland, witness said that he was not aware that people in Northern Ireland were in the habit of getting groceries supplied from London.

But if it is being done, would you agree that it points to the fact that people can buy groceries cheaper in London than in Belfast or Ulster?—I am not prepared to speak of London prices at all.

Does the association exist mainly for your protection as spirit dealers? We do not make prices.

Answering further questions, witness said that Irish whiskey sold in England for 135s., while the same class of spirit could not be obtained in Belfast under 159s. The trade had discussed the matter, but seemed to get no further.

GROCERY PRICES.

Mr. D. R. Nixon gave evidence on behalf of the Belfast and North of Ireland Grocers' Association, which body he represented on the Belfast Chamber of Trade. The Association, he said, was willing to answer all questions of a reasonable kind.

Witness pointed out that during the war the grocery trade was very strictly controlled regarding profits, and maximum selling prices were regulated for practically every article handled. For instance, potatoes, which cost the retailer 4s. 6d. per cwt. under food control, allowed a profit of 2s. 2d. per cwt., selling by rate per seven pounds. The profit which was being taken now by grocers on the same priced potatoes was 1s. 6d. per cwt. Sugar under control was sold to grocers at ½d. per lb. profit. At present it was being sold in every district of the town at a profit of 10d. per cwt.

As a trade they believed that there was nobody of traders in the community who received so small an average profit on capital invested and turnover as did retail grocers, bearing in mind that they were not responsible for manufacturing costs, market fluctuations, insurances, freights, carriage, and the many charges which goods must bear before they could reach the public.

The contention that living was dearer in Belfast than in similar cities across the water was only relative to a comparison of the standards of living which obtained there and in Liverpool, Manchester, and Glasgow. In those cities the great demand by the teeming populations of industrial workers was for cheap foodstuffs, and a market was there for a class of grocery goods and provisions altogether different from the kind and quality demanded in Belfast by the working class population. Taking tea, the English people were drinkers of much cheaper kinds and poorer classes of tea than in Belfast, where 2s. 8d. and upwards were the popular prices, while 1s. 10d. and 2s. 4d. were the average prices across the Channel.

In England, American and Canadian provisions were sold without difficulty. Bacon was sold at 1s. 3d. a lb. and ham at 1s. 8d., whereas the Belfast housewife must have the best cuts of Irish bacon at 1s. 8d. and 1s. 10d., and ham at from 2s. to 2s. 6d. per lb. Further, the English people were not so particular in their egg tastes. Egyptian, Danish, Chinese, Canadian, and cold-stored eggs were sold in millions in England, while the new-laid egg, which was much dearer, held dominion over the Ulster breakfast-table. Competition never was so keen, and the public was never so alert to compare values and prices as at present, and, with wages decreasing and unemployment rampant, no trade could afford to charge more than the lowest price.

CANDIDATE CITED.

LONDON JOURNALIST AND HIS WIFE.

Mr. Randall Charlton, journalist, appeared before Mr. Justice Astbury, in the Bankruptcy Court, London, yesterday, on a judgment summons for arrears of alimony due to his wife, amounting to £95 10s.

Mr. A. F. Lever, for the wife, said that Mr. Charlton had been ordered to pay her £125 a year, and he had paid nothing. A petition for divorce had been presented by him, but it was understood that Mr. Charlton had taken out a summons asking for the petition to be withdrawn. Mr. Charlton claimed damages against a man who was a Parliamentary candidate, and, at this particular moment he wished to withdraw the petition.

Mr. Charlton, in evidence, admitted that he was earning £10 a week.

Mr. Lever—You are proceeding in divorce against your wife with a co-respondent, against whom you claim £2,000 damages? I am not going to claim damages. I am a Catholic, and I am instructed by my priest that I cannot have a divorce.

Mr. Lever said that the summons to be brought before the Divorce Court would be resisted, and a cross-petition presented by the wife, who wished to go through with the proceedings by alleging adultery by Mr. Charlton.

The Judge, to Mr. Charlton—Will you pay her anything in the meantime? When we go into another court it will be our painful duty to expose the life this lady is living.

Mr. Justice Astbury adjourned the proceedings for a month, and ordered Mr. Charlton to pay £10 within a fortnight.

PROTECT THE PACIFIC.

MR. MASSEY'S CALL IN HIS ELECTION ADDRESS.

In his election manifesto issued yesterday, says a telegram from Wellington on Monday, Mr. Massey, Prime Minister, lays stress on the necessity for some arrangement with Great Britain and the other Dominions concerned for the proper naval protection of the Pacific. He also advocates a vigorous immigration policy, offering substantial encouragement and assistance to citizens of the United Kingdom who may be desirous of emigrating to New Zealand and making their home there.

A stand must be made, he declares, against anything in the nature of revolutionary socialism.

LADY MOTOR CYCLIST.

Miss Moran, who was the only woman entrant in the Dublin and District Motor Cycle Club's Reliability Trial.

COURT AND PERSONAL

Elizabeth Marchioness of Ormonde and Lady Constance Butler will leave London this week for Solent Lodge, Cowes, where they will reside in future. Lady Ormonde has sold her house in London. The Earl of Iveagh's first shoot at Elvedon Hall will take place next week, when the King will be his guest. The Hon. Ernest and Mrs. Guinness, who spent a few days last week at Glenmaroon, County Dublin, have arrived in England.

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The Most Rev. Cosmo Gordon Lang, D.D., Archbishop of York, is fifty-eight to-day. He was formerly Bishop Suffragan of Stepney, and was translated to York in 1909. He is Primate of England and eighty-ninth Archbishop of York since the Archbishopric was founded in A.D. 625.

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Viscount Chaplin continues to gain strength, and is allowed to leave his bed for a short time. Admiral of the Fleet Sir Doveton Sturdee is laid up at Camberley with a sharp attack of influenza, and was unable to fulfil his promise to open the new hall of the British Legion Club at Croydon. Another invalid, who is not making good progress, is the Hon. Lady Tryon, widow of the late Vice-Admiral Sir George Tryon, K.C.B., and aunt of the Earl of Ancaster.

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Lord Clonmore, who celebrated his twentieth birthday yesterday, is the only son of the Earl of Wicklow and of the late Countess of Wicklow, who was a daughter of the late Duke of Abercorn.

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Viscount and Viscountess FitzAlan returned to London yesterday from Peper Harow, where they were the guests of the Earl and Countess of Midleton. Lord and Lady Brougham and the Hon. Eleanor Brougham have arrived from Cumberland at their London residence, where they will spend the winter. Dame Nellie Melba, who will shortly be heard on the concert platform in Dublin, arrived in London on Sunday from Australia.

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Major-General Lord Cheylesmore returned yesterday to London from the country. Lady Cheylesmore has left England for a short visit to her relatives in America. Lord and Lady Louis Mountbatten are prolonging their stay in the United States, and will not return to England until near Christmas. The Earl and Countess of Donoughmore are expected to return to London shortly on the conclusion of their French tour.

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A marriage has been arranged to take place shortly between James Seeds Briggs, M.B., B.Ch., London, son of the late James S. Briggs, brother of Rev. W. B. Briggs, M.A., M.B., (T.C.D.), Ballacolla House, Queen's County, and cousin of H.M. Consul-General at Munich, and Elizabeth Katherine, daughter of G. Naunton-Morgan, F.R.C.S.I., Dany-Graig, Glamorgan, Wales.

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The engagement is announced between Captain Guy Roger Coles, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest H. Coles, of Arnolds, Beare Green, Surrey, and Ivy, daughter of the late William Keswick, M.P., J.P., D.L., of Eastwick Park, Leatherhead, Surrey, and of Mrs. Cyril Pyke, Capel Leyse, Holmwood, Surrey.

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A marriage has been arranged, and will take place late in November, between William A. Collins, second son of the late Patrick Collins and of Mrs. Collins, Miltown Malbay, and Eleanor Janet (Norah), only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Pickeman, 38 Northumberland road.

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Surgeon Barniville has returned to No. 9 Merrion square.

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Dr. Louis Cassidy has returned to 24 Fitzwilliam square.

MARRIAGE OF SIR GEORGE RHODES AND MRS. MORGAN HILL.

The marriage took place yesterday morning at St. Mary's Church, Cadogan street, London, of Sir George Rhodes, Bart. and Diana, widow of the late Mr. H. Morgan Hill, of Washington, and daughter of Mr. Daniel Murphy, of California. The bride, who was given away by Captain Hussey, Naval Attaché of the United States Embassy, wore a handsome toilette of steel-grey velvet embroidered in gold, a grey tulle toque, and a sable wrap. There were no bridesmaids, but the bridegroom's son-in-law, the Right Hon. Ian Macpherson, acted as best man. After the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Ian Macpherson gave a small luncheon party at their residence in Eaton square, at which were present besides the bride and bridegroom, Lady Glanusk, Lord Blyth, the Hon. Sibyl and the Hon. Audrey Pawncefote, Sir Albert Seymour, Captain and Mrs. Hussey, and Colonel and Mrs. John Rhodes.

The Viscountess Powerscourt has kindly consented to act as Patron to the series of dances being organised in aid of the National Children's Hospital. The first dance will take place on Friday next from 8 p.m. to 1 a.m. in Large Room, Town Hall, Rathmines. The number of tickets available is strictly limited, so early application should be made to Lady Maddock (President); the Matron, 88 Harcourt street; Charles G. Jozé, Ardgowan, Grosvenor road; or Maurice Stokes, Hon. Sec., Commercial Buildings, Dame street.

Dance Frocks with all their dainty accessories are a feature of Switzer's Grafton street windows this week.

Our Buyers have returned from the Markets with an extensive Collection of Winter Novelties. W. Holmes Dublin, Ltd., 69, 70, 71 George's st.

New Millinery, New Wrap Coats, New Dinner and Dance Frocks, Furs, and Gloves—At Holmes', George's street.

Salthill Hotel, Monkstown.—Now quoting special Autumn and Winter terms.

Warm Wrap Coats from 8 guineas at Slyne's, Ltd., 71 Grafton street.

ARRIVALS AT KINGSTOWN BY ROYAL MAIL STEAMERS.—Miss Marshall, Miss Mai Flood, Miss O. A. Whelan, Mrs. Langan, Miss W. Langan, Miss Daisy Vernon, Simon J. Clein, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Keogh, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. O'Connor, Surgeon and Mrs. Barneville, Mrs. and Walter Oldham, Master Desmond Oldham, P. Cohen, N. M. Gun-Cuninghame, Basil Rees, Wm. Jellett, K.C.; Dr. M. M. O'Leary.

DEPARTURES FROM KINGSTOWN BY ROYAL MAIL STEAMERS.—Mrs. Geoghegan, Miss Geoghegan, Miss L. Geoghegan, H. Delaney, D. Delaney, E. Delaney, W. Delaney, T. Beegan, J. Kearns, W. F. Hussey de Burgh, George Booker, Major and Mrs. W. F. Vernon, F. B. O'Brien, Mrs. R. E. N. Bailey, Captain H. M. FitzGibbon, Dr. and Mrs. Arthur O. Fahan, Mrs. Raymond French, Mrs. W. G. Hewett, L. Dillon.

Fresh arrivals of New Silk Goods at McBirney's.

Exquisite range of High-class Fur Coats, Stoles, etc., at Vard's, 24 Grafton street (first floor). Remodelling a speciality.

Mourning Orders executed on the shortest notice.—Davis and Co. (late Ogilvy's), 45 Grafton street.

ARMAGH DIOCESAN SYNOD.

At the elections at the Armagh Diocesan Synod last week the following resolution was passed, on the motion of Canon Ford:—"That His Grace the Lord Primate, the Chairman of the Finance Committee, the Chairman of the Glebes Committee, the clerical and lay secretaries of the Synod, the Diocesan Secretary, and the Ven. the Archdeacon be, with the fifteen clergymen and fifteen laymen now elected, the Diocesan Council for the ensuing year. The secretaries of the Synod to be the secretaries of the Council."

RAIL DISPUTE.

CONFERENCES PROVE ABORTIVE.

THE MEN'S CONTENTION

Some hopes of a settlement of the dispute on the Great Southern and Western Railway were based on the conferences which took place yesterday between officials of the company and representatives of the Irish Transport Union and the National Union of Railwaymen. The conferences concluded quite early in the day, but failed to reach a settlement.

It is understood that suggestions made by the representatives of the Irish Transport Union were rejected by the Strike Committee, thus leaving matters as they were.

From inquiries in authoritative quarters it was ascertained that the prospects of an early settlement are not very rosy.

On behalf of the railway company it is claimed that the volume of traffic carried previous to the strike only amounted to 57 per cent. of that carried during the corresponding period last year. For that reason, it is held, a full staff is not required every day of the week.

The men contend that there is work enough for every one of the staff on six days of the week. They were getting five days' work a week, but they considered that they were "rushed" in order to get the work done in time. An official of the Transport Union alleges that "stuff" was held over, and that it was chiefly on that account that the men went out on strike. "The management," he said, "want them to return for a full six days a week; but they want to put off about thirty employés, and get all the work done by a smaller staff."

SITUATION UNCHANGED.

Mr. James Bermingham, Secretary of the National Union of Railwaymen, told a Press representative that, so far as he knew, there was no change in the situation. He went on to say that the men were satisfied now, and had been satisfied for some time, that there were six days' work for them.

"Perishable commodities," he said, "were left over by the company with a view to keeping the men on short time. This became so obvious that it caused the men to protest most emphatically against the methods of the company in carrying out an agreement which existed between the company and themselves.

"The men have come out in a body as a protest against the company's action, and state that they are prepared to return to work as a body. The company, on the other hand, are prepared to issue a week's notice to the supposed redundant staff, but will not allow them to return to work, and will pay their wages for walking about the streets rather than accept the reasonable attitude of the men to return to their employment. If this was accepted, in my opinion, the issue would narrow itself down materially, and might be the means of a settlement."

The railway company's engineering works at Inchicore were again closed yesterday, and 1,500 workers stood idle. For some time past, and up till Friday, the works have only been in operation for three days a week. Now, in consequence of the disorganisation caused by damage to the line, and also by the strike, the works have come to an absolute standstill.

The clerical staff at Inchicore is not affected by the temporary dismissal of the 1,500 workers mentioned. There are also some armourers at work.

Branch lines, an *Irish Times* representative was informed, are working pretty much as usual outside the Dublin area, but it is difficult to keep in touch with these owing to the cutting of telegraph and telephone wires, and to the uncertainty of communication by mail.

ON THE QUAYS.

Motor transit of goods to and from the port of Dublin, and the conveyance of live sheep in double-deck motor lorries from country districts to outgoing steamers at the North Wall, are results of the continued suspension of rail services on the Great Southern and Western line. Pickets of the men on strike were on duty at the port yesterday.

Within the yards of the Great Southern and Western Railway Company at the North Wall are wagons and trucks belonging to other Irish railway companies, which can get neither alongside ships nor back to their own lines.

INQUEST REVELATIONS.

MENTALLY UNBALANCED BY BUSINESS WORRIES.

The Coroner's jury in the Epping case, in which Mr. Samuel Stitt McNicol and his wife, Sarah Ann Laura, were found shot at their residence, returned a verdict late yesterday afternoon that Mr. McNicol murdered his wife and committed suicide, being at the time in an unsound state of mind.

The evidence of Dr. W. F. Erskine was to the effect that the last time he saw Mr. McNicol he was suffering from contusions, and for a time was unconscious, as a result of having fallen heavily from a railway platform on to the line. Probably Mr. McNicol had been in great mental stress recently. There was a history of insomnia in his case. The witness thought that his mind was disturbed during the night preceding the tragedy, and that what happened next morning happened while he was not mentally responsible.

The police testimony revealed that in Mr. McNicol's city office was found a receiving order against him, and a notice to attend at the Official Receiver's Office on 30th October; while his pocket diary contained a note that he had to vacate his city premises yesterday.

SWEETHEART MURDERED.

DEATH SENTENCE ON JILTED LOVER.

At the Lincoln Assizes yesterday, George Robinson (27), labourer, was sentenced to death for the murder of Frances Pacey (18) at Dorrington in September. For a year the accused had been walking out with the girl, but she broke off the courtship in April. The accused then said that there was nothing for him to do but to end his life. There was no communication between the parties until the morning of the 5th September, when the girl's mother, with whom she lived, left her in bed. Soon after 7 o'clock the accused entered her bedroom, screams were heard, and the girl rushed into a neighbour's house blood streaming from her neck. She died in a few hours. Robinson was later found at home with a gash in his throat.

The defence was that he had brooded over being jilted, and this had so upset his mental balance that at the time he was not responsible for his acts.

ANTRIM CASTLE FIRE.

HISTORIC RELICS DESTROYED.

IRISH SPEAKER'S CHAIR LOST.

The fire at Antrim Castle, the historic seat of Viscount Massereene and Ferrard, early on Sunday morning was of a more destructive character than the first reports would indicate. The fire spread with such rapidity that the servants found all means of escape cut off, and many were saved from their perilous position by rescue parties, who entered their rooms, about fifty feet from the ground, by means of ladders and removed them to safety.

Ethel Gilligan, a kitchenmaid, aged 22 years, was rescued in this way, but she was so severely burned that she died a short time after she was taken outside. There had been a house party at the Castle on the previous night, and one of the guests, Miss Grace D'Arcy, a daughter of the Primate of All Ireland, had an exciting experience. She had to jump from one of the windows, eight or ten feet high, in order to escape the flames, but she was not injured.

Almost the whole of the valuable and historic contents of the Castle were destroyed, including the Speaker's chair of the Irish House of Commons. Lord Massereene was also the possessor of the Mace of the Irish Commons, but this was not in the Castle at the time, having been removed some time ago to a place of safety.

After the fire, Lord and Lady Massereene, together with their two children, aged 14 and 8 respectively, and the governess and Miss D'Arcy, were made comfortable at the house of Major G. F. Cavendish-Clarke, The Steeple, Antrim.

Lord Massereene was awakened on Sunday morning by his land steward, Lieutenant-Colonel Stewart-Richardson. He got up at once, and found the staircase burning furiously. Huge volumes of smoke were coming down the passage, but they succeeded in rousing the guests and getting them to a place of safety. They did all in their power to fight the flames, but the fire had got such a hold that their efforts had little, if any, effect upon it.

Some furniture was saved out of the drawing-room, the library, and the study. Some of the pictures were also taken outside.

INQUEST ON MISS GILLIGAN.

Dr. J. J. Adams held an inquest yesterday on Miss Ethel Gilligan, of Castlepollard, County Westmeath, one of the maid servants, who lost her life.

Mrs. Irene Johnston, housekeeper at the castle, said that Miss Gilligan had been employed for a year-and-a-half as kitchenmaid in Antrim Castle. Witness saw her brought out of the burning building at 4.30 on Sunday. She added that she was awakened by slamming of doors and the crackling of wood.

Coroner—When you came out of your bedroom, you saw no fire at all?

Witness—The smoke was terrific, and put out the candle that I had in my hand.

Proceeding, she said that she told her father to start the engine for pumping, and to wake up the men in the castle yard. As she left the castle to tell her father she heard the maid shouting from the window, and on her return saw people from the town rescuing inmates from the castle.

The Coroner—You have no idea as to how the fire originated?

Witness—No, doctor. She added that twenty minutes after she came down it would have been impossible for inmates to escape by the stairs.

Constable Matthew Taylor said that the police were awakened at 4 o'clock on Sunday morning, and went immediately with ladders to the castle. Civilians assisted them to carry the ladders. He went up a ladder, broke a window, and entered a room, but owing to the smoke he could not see anything. The flames came in through the door, and by their light he found a flashlight on the table. With this he lit up the room, and found the deceased girl lying in bed. He tried to awaken her, but she seemed unconscious. He then lifted her in his arms and went to the window. Constable Keenan came in later, and witness and he handed the girl over to Samuel Hannon, who, with the assistance of Constable M'Cutcheon, lowered her to the ground.

Dr. W. Graham stated that the cause of death was asphyxiation.

The Coroner, summing up, remarked that Antrim had been very free from fire, the last they had being in 1863, when Mill Row Church was burnt to the ground.

The jury returned a verdict in accordance with the medical evidence.

EDUCATION IN ULSTER.

INFLUENCE OF SECONDARY SCHOOLS.

Mr. R. M. Jones, M.A., LL.D., head master of the Belfast Academical Institute, in his annual report, which was read at a distribution of prizes yesterday in the Institute, says that they had obtained categorical assurances that the period of delay is ended, that an Education Bill will be presented to Parliament in February, and that Parliament will sit until it is disposed of. It will be interesting to observe how far a Government is moved by a mere sense of justice, or whether the cynics are right who say that it is only moved by electoral pressure and marches only with the big battalions. The secondary schools cannot command big battalions—they are numerically weak; but owing at once to the scope of their work and the susceptible age during which the pupils come under their influence, there is, perhaps, no force in the State more potent in silently suggesting and inspiring the views and ideas which ultimately prevail among a people and determine their attitude to the institutions among which they live. They are, in the educational scheme, the mans by which a liberal education is brought within the reach of the people, and without them the University may close its doors; and on them more and more we must rely for the supply and preparatory training of candidates for the teaching profession.

For the Minister of Education no measure is, therefore, more immediately urgent than the arrest of the decay which is steadily bringing down all but the strongest, unless it be the provision of adequate school buildings to meet the present terrible shortage. By its prompt dealing with the educational problem this Government will be judged. If I am asked what we expect, I would say in a word that we expect provision to be made for an adequate supply of schools; for a teaching profession consisting of men and women who have prepared themselves by study and training for their task, and possessing the power to transfer from one grade to another; for a standard of remuneration sufficient to secure a constant supply of the right sort of candidates for the teaching profession, and to render possible the concentration of the teacher's powers upon his task instead of upon mere escape from starvation. We do not expect an immediate millennium.

RUN DOWN BY TAXI-CAB.

LITTLE GIRL'S DEATH AT DONNYBROOK.

A verdict of accidental death, due to fracture of the skull, was returned at an inquest at Donnybrook yesterday on Kathleen O'Hara, aged 5½ years, who was killed by a motor car on Saturday.

The evidence showed that the little girl crossed the road behind a passing tramcar, and that a motor car, driven by Michael Tanhan, knocked her down, killing her instantly. The driver did everything possible to avoid the accident. Death was due to fracture of the skull.

The jury expressed the opinion that the driver of the motor car could not have avoided the accident, which was caused by the child running in front of the car, which at the time was proceeding at a slow pace.

U.S. MARKETS.

STOCKS CLOSED WEAK.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.)

NEW YORK, Monday.

Stocks commenced the week irregularly. The market weakened later under active bear selling and pool liquidation. The unsettled European political and economic conditions, and the larger amounts of brokers' loans outstanding, caused considerable long selling, declines of 1 to 5 points being registered. The closing was weak.

Eng. Parity	Stocks.	Closing Bid Prices Sat.	Closing Bid Prices Mon.	Business Done H.	Business Done L.
114¼	Funded	102¾	102⅜	—	—
117⅛	U.S. New 4% Loan	105	105	—	—
114⅛	Atch., Top., Santa Fe	103¾	102⅝	—	—
104⅜	Do. Preference	92	93⅝	—	—
118⅜	Do. 4% Con. Bonds	105½	105½	—	—
55¾	Baltimore and Ohio	52⅜	49⅝	—	—
160¼	Canadian Pacific	144⅝	142¾	—	—
81⅛	Chesapeake Ohio Com.	74	73	—	—
30	Chic. Mil. & St. Paul	30⅛	26¾	—	—
98⅜	Chicago and N.-West.	89⅝	88	—	—
136⅞	Do Pref.	122	122	—	—
23⅛	Erie 1st Preferred	22¾	21	—	—
53⅝	Do 4% Gen Lien Bds	52	50	—	—
100⅛	Great Northern Pref.	92	89⅝	—	—
123⅛	Illinois Central	113	112	—	—
75⅛	Lehigh Valley	69	67	—	—
151⅛	Louisville & Nashville	139	135	—	—
11⅛	Mis'ri Kan. & Texas	11	10⅛	—	—
—	Do. 2nd Mt. 4% Gd B	Nom.	Nom.	—	—
20⅝	Missouri Pacific New	19⅝	18	—	—
6¾	Nat. of Mexico 1st Pf.	6	6	—	—
3⅝	Do. 2nd Pref.	3⅛	3⅛	—	—
109⅛	N.Y. Cn. & Hudson R.	98⅞	97½	—	—
132⅛	Norfolk & West Com.	120	118¾	—	—
93⅛	Northern Pacific Com.	85⅞	83¼	—	—
28⅛	Ontario and Western	24⅞	23¾	—	—
55	Pennsylvania Shares	49⅝	49	—	—
90⅛	Reading Shares	83⅛	80⅛	—	—
58⅛	Do 1st Preferred	52	52½	—	—
94⅛	Do 4% Mort Bonds	84⅜	84⅝	—	—
28⅝	Southern Railway	24⅞	23⅝	—	—
104⅛	Southern Pacific	93⅝	92⅞	—	—
28⅞	Texas and Pacific	28⅛	25⅛	—	—
161⅛	Union Pacific	148	144	—	—
83⅛	Do. Pref	76	76	—	—
102½	Do 4% Bonds	91¼	91⅝	—	—
11¾	Wabash Common	10⅝	10	—	—
32¾	Do. Preferred A	29⅞	28¾	—	—
62⅛	Amr. Smelt Refin Com.	58⅞	55	—	—
53⅛	Anaconda Copper	50⅝	47⅞	—	—
2⅛	Brit. Amer Tobacco	18⅜	18⅞	—	—
150¼	N.Y. Cons. Gas	138⅜	133⅞	—	—
196⅜	General Electric	177	175	—	—
117⅛	U.S. Steel Common	106⅜	104⅛	—	—
135¾	Do 1st Preferred	122	121	—	—
115	Do. 2nd 5% Bonds	102	102½	—	—
—	Silver (Foreign Mined)	67⅛	67⅜	—	—
—	Do (U.S. Mined) Ref.	99⅜	99⅜	—	—
12⅝	Inter M M Com Certs.	12⅛	11¾	—	—
56⅛	Do. Prefd Certs.	53⅜	50	—	—
61⅞	Royal Dutch Oil	56⅜	55⅛	—	—
41⅛	Shell Transport	35⅞	37¼	—	—
250⅛	Mexican Petroleum	228⅜	223	—	—
100⅛	Pan-American Pet.	91⅛	89⅜	—	—
15⅜	General Motors	14⅛	14	—	—
67⅛	U.S. Rubber	53¾	51⅝	—	—

*Asked. †Ex div. ‡Ex Bonus. §Ex rights.

	Saturday.	Monday.
Call Money	Nominal.	4½b. 5a.
Ex. on Ln. 60 days' st.	4.43 50	4.43.00
Ex. on Ln Demand Bills	4.45 75	4.45.12½
Cable Transfers	4.46 00	4.45.37½
Ex. on Paris	7.03	6.93½
Ex. on Berlin	2⅛	2⅜
Cotton, Mid., Upland	24.20	24.30
Do., New Orleans, Mid	23.25	23.62
Cottonseed Oil, P Sum. Yellow Spot	8.25	8.40
Cottonseed Oil, yel. Dec.	8.70	8.74
Petro., Refined, in cases	16.50	16.50
Do., Standard White	13.25	13.25
Do., Philad., Stan do.	13.25	13.25
Do., Pennsyl., Crude	3.00	3.00
Spirits of Turpentine	166	163
Do., Savannah	138½	135½—135½
Resin, Grade K	5.65	6.63
Do., Grade F	5.65	5.62½
Lard, Prime West. Stm.	11.50	11.55
Do., Midland West.	11.15 11.25	11.20—11.30
Tallow, Extra	8¾	8¾
Sugar, New Cuban	5.65	5.25
Corn, West., No. 2 Mix.	87	86¼
Wheat, No. 2 Hd. Wtr.	138½	139
Do. No. 2 Red Winter	138½	139
Do. No. 2 Mix Drm.	124	124½
Coffee, Rio No. 7	10¾	10¾
Flour, Spring Clears	5.50—6.00	5.50—6.00
Iron, No. 2 Nor Fdry.	31.00—32.00	31.00—32.00
Tin, Straits	36.75	37.50
Zinc, East St. Louis	7.12½	7.12½
Electrolytic Cop., Spot	13¾—13⅞	13¾—13⅞
Do. do., Futures, July.	13¾—14	13¾—14
Freight, Heavy Grain to U. Kingdom, per bushel	2/3	2/3
Freight, Heavy Grain to Continent, per bushel	18	18
Freight, Cont. to L'pool (high density)	25	25
Do., Stand. (per 100lb.)	40	40

PRODUCE MARKETS.

NEW YORK, Monday.

WHEAT—Spot market steady, ⅛c. up. The visible supply of wheat in the United States has decreased 1,595,000 bushels on the week, and now totals 33,563,000 bushels, last year 54,333,000 bushels. The visible supply of wheat in Canada has increased 2,594,000 bushels on the week, and now totals 36,295,000, last year 30,933,000 bushels. The week's export clearances from the Atlantic seaboard missing. Receipts—Atlantic 1,164,000, last year 963,000; clearances 864,000, last year 910,000.

FLOUR quiet.

CORN on spot barely steady at ¼c. reduction. The visible supply has decreased 66,000 bushels on the week, and now totals 9,087,000, last year 18,935,000. The week's export clearances from the Atlantic seaboard missing. Receipts—Atlantic 469,000, last year 66,000; clearances 208,000, last year 96,000.

LARD—Cash firm at 5 points advance.

COFFEE opened very steady, 6 to 9 points up, and further improved on covering of December shorts and buying by importers and the trade. The market closed steady, 11 to 6 points higher. Spot firm and unchanged. Stocks of Brazilian coffee total 421,000 bags, compared with 537,000 last week. The week's warehouse deliveries aggregate 125,000 bags, against 85,000 last week. Approximate sales—31,000. December, 9.78; March, 9.63; May, 9.45; July, 9.20; September, 8.90.

RUBBER steady, ¼c. higher; first latex crepe, 22½; smoked ribbed sheets, 22¼.

SUGAR steady, 12 points down for Centrifugal Cuban; Porto Rico nominal. Futures irregular and unchanged to 2 points down. December, 3.69; March, 3.24; May, 3.37; July, 3.51. 4,000 bags of Cuban sugar were sold to-day to refiners at 5.53 for prompt shipment.

COTTON opened firm, 33 to 36 points up, and strengthened further during early trading on firm cables, the strength of cotton goods and Southern spot markets, and buying for foreign and New Orleans account. Disappointing Manchester advices and Southern selling was succeeded by the trade buying, but upon the discouraging Wall street conditions and Wall street selling, the market closed barely steady, 4 points down to 7 up. Spot steady and unchanged. New Orleans spot rose 37 points. Receipts—Atlantic 7,000, Gulf 35,000. Exports—Britain nil, Continent 18,000, Japan 7,000. October, unquoted; November, 24.06; December, 24.20; January, 23.93; February, 23.97; March, 24.01; April, 23.95; May, 23.90; June, 23.78; July, 23.67; August and September, unquoted.

COTTON OIL steady, with summer yellow spot 5 and December option 4 points up.

PETROLEUM steady.

KANSAS CITY—Wheat easy at 1c. fall; No. 2 hard winter, 117.

ST. LOUIS—Wheat steady; No. 2 red winter, 127.

MINNEAPOLIS—Wheat steady and unchanged; No. 1 Northern spring, 116¼.

WINNIPEG Wheat opened firmer, ⅛c. to ⅛c. higher, but reacted partially, and closed steady and unchanged to ⅛c. up; October, 105⅛; December, 99⅜. Oats steady and unaltered; December, 39⅛.

CHICAGO, Monday.

WHEAT opened firm at ⅛c. advance, and further strengthened on bullish weekly world's shipments, higher cable, and buying by cash houses; but later took a downward turn under better weather in the South-West, lower corn and South-West cash markets, larger country offerings, paucity of orders from outside, and commission houses selling; then again improved on large seaboard clearances, the bullish visible supply figures, and a milling demand. The market closed steady at ⅛c. to ⅛c. gain. Spot steady. No. 2 hard winter, spot, 120½; No. 3 hard winter, spot, nominal. December, 115; May, 113¼; July, 105⅜.

CORN opened firm at ⅛c. rise, and went higher on adverse weather, small stocks, and commission houses buying. After a decline on lower cash markets, a slow cash demand, predictions of increased receipts, liquidation, and selling by cash houses, the advance was resumed on small country offerings and shorts covering. The market closed steady, ⅛c. lower to unchanged. No. 2 mixed, spot, 69½. December, 66⅛; May, 67⅛; July, 66⅛.

OATS steady, ⅛c. up to ⅛c. down. December, 41⅛; May, 41⅛; July, 39⅛.

PROVISIONS opened quiet, and advanced on light stocks, scarcity of sellers, and buying by commission houses, foreign interests, and packers. Shorts were covering, and the market closed firm, with lard 10 to 17½ points higher and ribs unchanged to 25 points dearer. Lard—October, 10.50; December, 9.70; January, 9.62½. Pork unquoted. Ribs—October, 10.50; January, 8.75.

BACON steady and unchanged. The receipts of hogs at 15 principal Western centres, including Chicago, since March 1, total 17,396,000, against 16,602,000 for the same season last year.

HOGS easy, with light 10 to 15 and heavy 10 points down.

	Short Rib Sides. Drysalted.	Short Rib Sides. Loose.	HOGS. Light.	HOGS. Light.	HOGS. Heavy.	HOGS. Heavy.
To-day	11.00	12.00	8.65	8.80	8.40	8.90
Prev. day	11.00	12.00	8.75	8.95	8.50	9.00

DISTRICT JUSTICES.

THREE NEW APPOINTMENTS.

The following additional appointments as District Justices have been made:—

John S. Troy—Has been Solicitor to the Fermoy Urban Council for over fourteen years. He acted as Sinn Fein election agent at 1918 and subsequent elections till the truce. A fluent Irish speaker, he is a member of the Fainne, and was formerly Vice-President of the Fermoy Branch of the Gaelic League. At University (then Queen's) College, Cork, he was awarded the Junior and Senior Law Scholarships, and was Prizeman at both years' examinations, and silver medallist at his final examination.

Cyril J. Beatty—Barrister-at-Law of the Leinster Circuit. Son of the late Christopher Beatty, of 78 Waterloo road, Dublin. He was educated at the Catholic University School, Dublin, and continued his studies at the Royal University, being called to the Bar in 1911. Mr. Beatty enjoyed an extensive practice in Dublin and on the Leinster Circuit.

J. H. Gallagher—He enjoyed a considerable practice as Barrister in the North-West of Ireland and had acted as temporary Revising Barrister for the City of Dublin.

SITTINGS OF COURTS.

In our advertising columns to-day will be found notices of the first sittings of the new District Sessions Courts for districts in the Counties of Dublin, Kildare, Meath, Wicklow, and Leix. The Courts will sit at the places named in the advertisement for the granting of certificates for the renewal of publicans' and beer dealers' licences.

Mr. E. J. Little, who was recently appointed a District Magistrate, has, it is announced, been appointed to the Bray district. The town is already policed by the Civic Guard, who have been established in recently acquired quarters near the Royal Hotel, under the command of an inspector and two sergeants.

N.U.I. MATRICULATION. Sept., 1922. OUR SUCCESSES:—Messrs. A. Dunleavy, A. Kavanagh, M. Kennedy, T. Pierse, P. Smyth, and Miss M. O'Dea.—McGUIRE'S COLLEGE, 61 Up. Sackville st., Dublin.—(Advt.)

TYRONE SLANDER ACTION.

"B" SPECIAL LOSES HIS CASE.

"That the words which formed the subject matter of the action were spoken on a privileged occasion and that they were true in substance and in fact" were the reasons given by his Honour Judge Linehan at Omagh Quarter Sessions for dismissing an action brought by Thomas M'Farland, a farm labourer, of Droit, Newtownstewart, for alleged slander against John Hunter, Droit, Newtownstewart.

The plaintiff's case was that the defendant complained to Mr. John M'Farland, J.P., Gortin, head constable of the "B" Specials of the district, about annoyance on his farm in Corrick, and that a gate had been thrown into the river. When M'Farland asked him did he suspect anyone, he replied, "Yes, I suspect one of the 'B's' men, Thomas M'Farland and you may tell him so." M'Farland asked the defendant had he any proof, and Hunter replied, "Yes, he was seen near the place by a 'B' Special from Plumbridge, who was going off duty." The head constable told the plaintiff that he would have to clear himself of the charge or leave the "B" force.

After the writ was served the defendant met Mr. John M'Farland in Gortin, and there was a scene in the bank, the defendant stating that M'Farland had been the cause of all the trouble, and accusing him of betraying his confidence.

John J. Donnell gave evidence that the defendant told him that he would get Joe Hill to give his brother (Joseph Donnell, witness for the plaintiff) a pill which would make him sleep till the court would be over. (Laughter.)

Mr. Orr—The pill trick did not come off.

Witness—No; I gave my brother the tip. (Laughter.)

His Honour—Was this supposed to be a conspiracy to poison the witness?

DRUGGING LIKE A HORSE.

Mr. Orr—No; but an attempt to drug him until the case would be over, in the same way as a horse would be drugged.

Sir Auckland Geddes, the British Ambassador at Washington, has arrived at Ottawa as the guest of the State.

NUMBERED.

Mrs. O'Callaghan tying in her son's number in the Dublin and District Motor Cycle Club's Reliability Trial.

LA SCALA THEATRE.
ALL THIS WEEK. 2.30-10.30.
Irish Photo-Plays, Ltd.
Ireland's only Film-producing Company
PRESENT
Their First Picture,
THE CASEY MILLIONS.
A Tale of Love and Laughter.
An All-Irish Star Cast, Including:
BARRETT MacDONNELL, CHRIS. SYLVESTER, JIMMY O'DEA, FRED. JEFFS,
NAN FITZGERALD, JOAN FITZGERALD, and KATHLEEN DRAGO.

THE CURRAGH.

TO-DAY'S SELECTIONS.

The meeting which opens to-day at the headquarters of the Irish Turf is supplementary to the regular fixtures brought to issue there, it having been promoted with a view of compensating owners in some measure for the disappointment and loss incidental to the abandonment of so many meetings in the country. The excellent all-round entry which has been made demonstrates how much those most concerned appreciate the efforts being made in their behalf. Though embracing no event of outstanding importance, the programme looks like yielding interesting sport, and runners are certain to be plentiful. The absence of railway facilities may have an adverse effect on the attendance, but nevertheless substantial public patronage will, no doubt, be forthcoming. Selections are appended:—

Johnstown Plate—**Crock Hill.**
Dollanstown Plate—**Shy Man** or **Golden Grey.**
Mullaboden Plate—**Westview.**
Camp Plate—**Lady Elaine.**
Country Plate—**Flower Vale**; if absent, **Covenant.**
Eyrefield Plate—**McKenna's selected.**

1.15—JOHNSTOWN PLATE of 100 sovs. A handicap hurdle race. 1½ m. Age. st. lb.
KING MICHAEL (Mr. J. Moore) ... Behan a 12 10
BOLSHEVIST (Mrs. Croft) .... Ussher 6 12 9
POTHEEN (Mr. F. Rogers) .... Arnott a 12 7
KNIGHT OF GREENANE (inc. 10lb. ex.) (Mr. J. S. Graham) .... Parkinson 6 12 2
BAROEDO (Mr. T. J. Vaughan) ... Collins a 12 1
GOLDEN FLEECE (Mr. W. Parrish) Grundy a 11 12
GARRYMORE (10lb. ex.) (Mr. J. P. Taffee) Banahan a 11 9
MOUNT PROSPECT (Mrs. T. O'K. White) Dawson 6 11 8
SAXHAM (Mr. H. I. Ussher) .... Owner 5 11 8
CROCK HILL (Capt. J. Collins) ... Walker 6 11 5
PETIT BEAU (Capt. Maher) .... Dawson a 11 5
FALSE REPORT (Mr. A. Lowry) ...... Dawson 6 11 4
GEORGE EDGAR (Mr. Jno. Kelly) Doyle 4 11 3
RED HUSSAR (Mr. Jos. Whelan) ... Owner 5 11 2
TREBLE SCOTCH (Mr. J. S. Graham) Parkinson 6 11 0
FRANK WEBBER (Mr. H. M. Hartigan) Owner 6 10 11
FANE LADY (Mr. L. Goodman) Parkinson 6 10 9
BACHELOR'S REVEL (Mr. W. Parrish) Grundy a 10 9
ISCHEVAHA (Mr. E. W. Hope Johnstone) Fetherston a 11 9
BARRACKTON LAD (Mr. J. O'Callaghan) Behan 3 10 7
ROYAL CELL (Mr. F. Sherry) .... Perry 4 10 7
BALLYGIBBY (Mr. T. G. O'Brien) ... Owner 6 10 6
MONKEY CLIMB (Mrs. H. Harty) H. Harty a 10 5
WAKEFUL WILLIE (Mr. T. Lawton) Rankin 6 10 5
MUDROS (Mr. T. Jackson) .... Anthony a 10 4
DUNDONALD (Major Dixon) .... Behan 4 10 2
FATE'S GIFT (Mr. H. Loughran) ... Dawson 5 10 2
SLOVENLY SAINT (Mr. R. Dunne) .... Bell 5 10 0
ROYAL EDGAR (Mr. F. Cullinan) .... Doyle 4 9 12
HAWTHORN HILL (Mr. J. T. O'Ryan) Parkinson 5 9 12
SAINTLY GEMMA (Mr. R. Power) Doyle 4 9 7
RAHEENDUFF (Mr. M. O'Mara) Prendergast 6 9 7
BOOMERANG (Mr. J. T. Purcell) ... Owner 5 9 7
LILY MAC (Mr. J. D. Edwards) .... Ryan a 9 7
GYPSIE QUEEN (Mr. P. F. Adams) Owner 6 9 7
TIPP TIVOLI (Mr. B. O'Connell) .... Moss 6 9 7
THE TATLER (Mr. F. B. O'Toole) Dawson 5 9 7
HOMELAND (Mrs. D. Moloney) ... Moloney 5 9 7

1.45—DOLLANSTOWN PLATE of 100 sovs. For maiden two years old. 6 f. st. lb.
BALLYHURST (Mr. J. T. Rogers) .... Owner 9 0
GOLDEN GREY (Mr. Jno. Ryan) .... Anthony 9 0
COUNT ALGY (Mrs. C. Brabazon) C. Brabazon 9 0
PRINCE HIRAM (Mr. T. A. Byrne) .... Ryan 9 0
CLONESPOE (Mr. N. J. Greene) .... Moss 9 0
BUACHILL BREAH (Miss M. Hayes) Parkinson 9 0
SHY MAN (Mr. H. Hone) .... Sikes 9 0
LIVING MACHINE (Col. MacCabe) ... Staunton 9 0
KILLUCAN (Mr. J. Porter Porter) .... Cape 8 10
HAPPEN (Mr. P. J. Hartigan) .... Owner 8 10
BATTLE CALL (Mr. F. S. Myerscough) Grundy 8 10
BACHELOR'S BUBBLE (Mrs. F. S. Myerscough) Grundy 8 10
KILMEENA (Major O'Malley-Keyes) Parkinson 8 10
MOOR MAIDEN (Mr. R. L. Philpot) .... Rogers 8 10
GIRL JOAN (Mr. P. J. Beary) .... Prendergast 8 10
BRIDGEMORE (£100) (Mr. W. Coleman) .... Bell 8 4
GEORGE STEPHENS (£100) (Mr. J. T. Rogers) Owner 8 4
BACHELOR'S CAPE (£100) (Mr. A. B. Coyle) Grundy 8 0
SNOQUALMIE (Mr. P. Field) .... Rice 8 0
WAX CANDLE (£100) (Mr. C. Holmes) Gleeson 8 0
KAMEHOME (£100) (Mr. J. J. McAuley) Coombs 8 0
TOY LABEL (Mr. B. O'Donnell) .... Doyle 8 0
ROSY LAND (£100) (Mr. T. J. O'Neill) Coombs 8 0
DOUBLE PROSPECT (£100) (Mrs. Rankin) Rankin 8 0

2.15—MULLABODEN PLATE of 200 sovs. A handicap. 1½ m. Age. st. lb.
PREES HEATH (Mr. C. F. Kenyon) McKenna 5 9 11
ZERIA'S CHARM (Mr. J. C. Sullivan) Behan 5 9 10
CELTIC MIST (Mr. J. A. Coen) ... Behan 4 9 5
STAMNOS (Mr. A. McCann) .... Dawson 4 9 3
POLISH PRINCE (Mrs. D. Moloney) Moloney 6 9 0
MANSER'S PRIDE (Mr. H. J. Kennedy) Rankin 3 8 12
SHOTMAKER (Mr. G. Personne) .... Doyle 5 8 9
KANOWNA (Lord Lascelles) .... Arnott 3 8 9
IRISH PRINCE (in. 10lb. ex.) (Mr. C. Swords) Bell 4 8 8
GALTEE BOY (Mr. Tim. McCarthy) Moloney 5 8 7
LOW TIDE (Col. R. C. Knox) .... Hunter 4 8 4
TRIM GATE (10lb. ex.) (Mr. J. T. O'Ryan) Parkinson 3 8 1
O'MALLEY MOR (Mr. T. G. Fletcher) Grundy 3 8 0
MOUNT PROSPECT (Mrs. T. O'K. White) Dawson 6 8 0
WIRKET (Mr. S. Adams) .... McKenna 3 8 0
MARIE MARCO (Mr. W. Parrish) ... Grundy 3 7 12
BESSIE BELLE (Mr. G. P. Fleming) Doyle 5 7 12
WORLD PEACE (Mr. Jas. Fitzpatrick) H. Harty 3 7 12
BACHELOR'S MARK (Mr. F. S. Myerscough) Grundy 3 7 11
RED IRON (Mr. M. Foley) .... Parkinson 3 7 10
V.V. (Mr. Jos. Walshe) .... Bell 4 7 10
LOMOND BOY (Mr. N. Wall) .... Rankin 3 7 9
DOUBLE FIRST (Mr. T. J. O'Neill) Coombs 3 7 9
EAGERLOON (Mr. J. Ryan) .... Anthony 3 7 8
WESTVIEW (Mr. Henry) .... Jeffery 4 7 7
TILSTOCK (Mr. C. F. Kenyon) ... McKenna 3 7 4
FARAMUS (Mr. W. F. Power) Parkinson 3 7 3
FETHERNADALE (Mr. E. Trainor) ... Perry 3 7 0
EMPHATIC (Mr. J. J. Gordon) ... McKenna 3 7 0
GOLD LABEL (Mr. B. O'Donnell) .... Moss 4 7 0

2.45—THE CAMP PLATE of 150 sovs. A handicap. 5 f. Age. st. lb.
CORFE (Mr. J. S. Graham) .... Parkinson 3 9 4
MISS MIRANDA (Mr. S. Swords) .... Bell 5 9 2
FLYING LILL (Mr. W. F. Power) Parkinson 3 8 11
DOCTOR'S CALL (Mr. F. Barbour) ... Walker 4 8 9
MERMAID (in. 10lb. ex.) (Mr. C. F. Kenyon) McKenna 5 8 8
TIPPERARY BOY (inc. 7lb. ex.) (Mr. Jno. Doyle) Owner 3 8 7
JANE MAGEE (Mr. A. Lowry) .... Dawson 3 8 6
BATTINA (Mr. Flynn) .... Anthony 3 8 4
PATSY (Mr. H. M'Alinden) .... Rankin 3 8 0
CURRAHACLE (Mr. T. J. O'Neill) ... Coombs 3 8 0
EZRA (Mr. D. J. Power) .... Doyle 3 8 0
SKITTLES (Lord Kenmare) .... Dawson 3 7 13
MISS ROSS (Mr. W. A. Wallis) ... Staunton 5 7 11
IRISH IRE (Mr. M. Irwin) .... Collins 4 7 10
LADY ELAINE (Mr. C. Kenyon) McKenna 3 7 9
HARDICANUTE (Sir G. Murray) Parkinson 5 7 6
MORRISTOWN (Mr. J. T. Rogers) .... Owner 3 7 5
TINODE (Mr. L. Brabazon) .... Owner 6 7 2
FLYING GNAT (Mr. P. O'Reilly) Fetherston 3 7 0
BE SERIOUS (Mr. M. J. Harty) .... Owner 5 7 0
THE TEMPTRESS (Mr. F. D. Osborne) Reidy 2 7 0

3.15—COUNTRY PLATE of 100 sovs. A handicap. 1 m. Age. st. lb.
FLOWER VALE (Mr. D. Foley) ... Moloney 6 10 2
MERRY MINER (Mr. T. D. M'Keever) Walker 6 10 0
KANOWNA (Lord Lascelles) .... Arnott 3 9 9
QUEEN OF THE WEST (Mr. A. Le Roch) Jeffery 3 9 0
LORD OFFALY (Mr. J. E. Tyrrell) Jeffery 3 8 13
BACHELOR'S HEIR (Mr. T. J. O'Neill) Coombs 3 8 12
DORA IRLANDA (Mr. A. P. Cunliffe) Peard 3 8 12
KILDEVIN (inc. 10lb. ex.) (Mr. F. P. O'Reilly) Fetherston 3 8 10
IRONMASTER (inc. 10lb. ex.) (Mrs. D. Moloney) Moloney a 8 10
DIBLA (Mr. D. J. Cogan) .... Rice 5 8 9
GOSSIP SHOP (in. 10lb. ex.) (Mr. W. Desmond) Collins 4 9 3
COVENANT (Mr. J. Murray) .... Banahan a 8 5
QUEEN OF GYPSIES (Mr. P. F. Adams) Owner 6 8 5
MILINA (Col. Croft) .... Ussher 5 8 3
ST. EMINENCE (Mr. T. O'Keeffe) Collins 3 8 2
COO COO (Mr. T. J. O'Neill) .... Coombs 4 8 0
BROTHER CHARLES (Mr. F. F. M'Donogh) Owner 5 8 0
BRAEMAR (Mr. J. J. Foley) .... Gleeson 5 8 0
SHANNON FAIRY (Mr. F. F. M'Donogh) Owner 6 8 0
ELLEN'S DOTE (Mr. W. Duffy) ... Delany 6 7 13
GAY BACHELOR (Mr. Peter Kelly) .. Mahon 6 7 7
ALICE QUICKTHORN (Col. Honner) Owner 4 7 7
GAPTYLASS (Mr. P. Glynn) .... Owner a 7 7
EXPLANATION (Mr. Ml. Curran) Cunningham 4 7 7
TIPP TIVOLI (Mr. B. O'Connell) .... Moss 6 7 7
GYPSIE QUEEN (Mr. P. F. Adams) Owner 6 7 7
DARBY THE BLAST (Mr. H. Peard) Peard 5 7 7
THADY (Mr. M. Lyons) .... Owner 6 7 7

3.45—EYREFIELD PLATE of 150 sovs. Weight for age, etc. 6 f. 65 yds. Age st. lb.
HIGHLANDMORE (Miss Cowby) .. Rankin 3 10 0
BACHELOR'S HEIR (Mr. T. J. O'Neill) Coombs 3 9 6
LOWFORD (Mr. W. Parrish) .... Grundy 3 9 6
BOYNE BRIDGE (Mr. H. J. Kirwan) Moss 3 9 6
LUCAN GLASS (Mr. T. G. O'Brien) Owner 4 8 5
LANDER (Mr. W. Macrory) .... McKenna 2 8 5
NABACLEIS (Mr. T. Nunan) .... Gleeson 2 8 4
GREAT PET (Mr. D. J. Cogan) .... Rice 3 8 4
THE ROYAL END (Mr. C. Swords) .... Bell 4 8 4
FLYING HERO (Mr. T. J. Vaughan) Collins 4 8 5
BERMANDA (Mr. N. J. Greene) .... Moss 3 8 4
PEQUANOCH (Mr. A. Lowry) .... Dawson 3 8 4
MARTINA (Capt. G. Moore) .... Behan 3 8 4
GOLD WAND (Capt. Fowler) .... Staunton 2 7 1
JACKDAW OF RHEIMS (Mr. B. M. Slocock) Rankin 2 7 13
AQUILON (Mr. C. F. Kenyon) McKenna 2 7 13
KOMORN (Mr. P. J. Hartigan) G. Hartigan 2 7 13
TELEMACHUS (Mr. Peter Duffy) ... Grundy 2 7 13
LADY REGAL (Mr. C. F. Kenyon) McKenna 2 7 13
MOOR MAIDEN (Mr. R. L. Philpot) Rogers 2 7 1

"CIVIDITY."
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LEOPARDSTOWN, 1923.

Now Yearlings.
To Run when Two Years Old.
CLOSING OF PLATES.

The following Races CLOSE on WEDNESDAY NEXT, NOVEMBER 1st, 1922, with Mr. F. Harold Clarke, 14 Upper Merrion street, Dublin. Telegraphic address—"Turfclub, Dublin."

SPRING MEETING, 1923.
THE SPRING PLATE of 300 sovs. Entrance 1 sov. Five furlongs. (For now yearlings.)
FIRST SUMMER MEETING, 1923.
THE CADOGAN PLATE of 300 sovs. Entrance 1 sov. Five furlongs. (For now yearlings.)
SECOND SUMMER MEETING, 1923.
THE LONDONDERRY PLATE of 300 sovs. Entrance 1 sov. Five furlongs. (For now yearlings.)
THE LEOPARDSTOWN GRAND PRIZE of 1,000 sovs. Entrance 2 sovs. Five furlongs. (For now yearlings.)
—(Advt.)

BILLIARDS.

SMITH v. INMAN.

Smith and Inman started an exhibition match of 16,000 up on level terms at Leicester square, London, yesterday. The afternoon's play was not eventful, but Smith had much the better of the duel, making breaks of 152, 156, and 26 (unfinished). Inman travelled very slowly, his only breaks being 63 and 135. Interval scores:—Smith, 667; Inman, 356.

The night's session went again heavily in favour of Smith. Inman made good breaks of 64, 126, and 218, but Smith, with 246 (including the afternoon's unfinished break), 154, 251, and 78, reached the points with a strong lead. Closing scores:—Smith, 1,533; Inman, 661.

BIRMINGHAM.

TETRAMETER'S TRIUMPH.

PHI PHI DISPOSES OF FESTINA.

Though a thousand pounds handicap was included in the Birmingham card it did not attract the crowd that the adventure might reasonably have expected, and there is no doubt that racing is now suffering from the tightness of money. It was quite a good-class field for the Packington Handicap, in which Tetrameter and Pharmacie were opposing each other for the third time, but instead of receiving 21lb. from the filly as at Goodwood in the Stewards' Cup, Tetrameter was giving 3lb. He was a strong favourite, and nothing was really supported in earnest against him, though there were modest commissions out for Francis Joseph and Ruysdael. Pharmacie may not be as good as she was, but she put up a fine, game performance, and finished third. But the real danger to the top weight was Francis Joseph, and he took a lot of shaking off. In fact, it was only quite on the post that Carslake got the win.

Persse's stable scored a second success with Mountain Light in the Juvenile Maiden Plate. She is a particularly fine-looking Juggernaut filly, and was rather a smart winner; but the form is somewhat discounted by the fact that the Belle Royal colt was only beaten a neck, for this colt's previous form suggested that he was only moderate. Princess Charming cut up very badly, and certainly did not reproduce the form which made her a winner last week. She is engaged in the One Thousand Guineas next year, and great things are expected of her, and the probability is that she did not now produce her proper form.

Another double was that of the stable over which Butchers has charge. Soldier Song was at one time trained by the late Pat Hartigan at Ogbourne, but he was in Gore's charge when he won at Hurst Park in August, 600 guineas being then given for him. No doubt, the purchase money is now fully recovered, though the stable was understood to have had more confidence in their other winner, Phi Phi, who, in the Coventry Nursery, disposed of a much-expected favourite in Festina.

The only question about Young Pole in the Maiden Apprentice Plate was whether the boy Atkins would be capable of getting him out. It was not very promising to those who had laid substantial odds when, on the far side, the horse dropped back owing to being driven into the rails. However, "all's well that ends well," for he won readily enough.

1.30—ESTATES (S.) PLATE of £200. 1 m.
Mr. Coltman's b. c. SOLDIER SONG, by Happy Warrior—St. Eilians, 4, 9-0 .... L. Butchers 1
Mr. Fitch's DUTCHMAN, 5, 9-0 .... J. Leach 2
Mr. Dixon's GLENOGLE, 3, 8-1 .... Smirke 3
Also ran:—Clarion (Donoghue), Girvan (Beary), Vesuvius (Shatwell), Arroba (J. Ward), Amboyna (D. Gordon), Glen Fyne (R. James). (Winner trained by G. Butchers.)
Betting—5 to 2 agst. Glenogle, 4 to 1 Vesuvius, 11 to 2 Dutchman, 7 to 1 each Clarion and SOLDIER SONG, 10 to 1 any other.
Won by a length and a half; a length.
The winner was bought in for 340 guineas.

2.0—BIRMINGHAM (S.) HANDICAP of £500. 1 m.
Sir M. Singer's b. g. KING PIPPIN, by Pommern—Queen Desmond, 3, 7-9 .... D. Gordon 1
Mr. Hassan's JUNK, 3, 8-4 .... Elliott 2
Mr. G. Smith's LITTLE TRAITRESS, 4, 7-0 (car. 7-1) .... T. Weston 3
Also ran:—Puck (Beary), Jappool (Whalley), Peace Declared (W. M'Lachlan), Finchale (Shatwell), Damar (L. Brown), Egyptian Eagle (Donoghue), Nettler (J. Brennan), Our Ben (Fox), Tinfoil (Piper), Graceful Mover (J. Leach), Lamu (Grace), Noctifer (Wragg), Picline (J. Beasley), Masculino (Smirke), Norbreck (Voight), Tattets (W. Weaver). (Winner trained by Morris.)
Betting—7 to 2 agst. Egyptian Eagle, 6 to 1 Lamu, 7 to 1 each Noctifer and Little Traitress, 8 to 1 KING PIPPIN, 10 to 1 each Junk, Jappool, and Peace Declared, 100 to 6 any other.
Won by four lengths; a length.
The winner was sold to Mr. J. Putnam for 610 guineas.

2.30—COVENTRY NURSERY of £200. 7 f.
Mr. Oger's b. f. PHI PHI, by Stedfast—Bongo, 6-7 .... R. James 1
Lord Crewe's FESTINA, 7-4 .... Ingham 2
Mr. White's GARRISON, 7-4 .... A. Burns 3
Also ran:—Holihonic (D. Gordon), Hideaway (Evans), Glastonbury (Gray), Ingoldsby (Fox), Sprig o' Myrtle (G. Richards), Ashbelle filly (T. Morgan), Sacred Ibis colt (T. L. Brown). (Winner trained by G. Butchers.)
Betting—5 to 2 agst. Festina, 5 to 2 Glastonbury, 6 to 1 Hideaway, 7 to 1 PHI PHI, 8 to 1 Garrison, 10 to 1 Holihonic, 100 to 6 any other.
Won by half a length; a length and a half.
Flying Shot was weighed out by E. Toon, but, throwing his rider, did not come under the starter's control.

3.5—PACKINGTON HANDICAP of £1,000. 5 f.
Sir H. McCalmont's ch. h. TETRAMETER, by The Tetrarch—Mandola, 5, 9-0 .... Carslake 1
Mr. Field's FRANCIS JOSEPH, 4, 8-3 Archibald 2
Mr. White's PHARMACIE, 4, 8-11 .... Donoghue 3
Lady Cunliffe-Owen's Isle of Wight, 3, 8-9 H. Gray 0
Lord Durham's Surcoat, 5, 7-10 .... Whalley 0
Mr. J. Benson's Zoomp, 3, 7-7 .... J. Brennan 0
Mr. Walters' Ruysdael, 4, 7-6 .... Grace 0
His Majesty's John Green, 4, 7-1 ... R. A. Jones 0
Mr. Barnett's Hassock, 3, 7-0 .... D. Gordon 0
Lord Carnarvon's Malva, 3, 6-10 .... Smith 0
Mr. Moorhouse's Limosin, 3, 6-12 .... Perryman 0
Lord Derby's Alienor, 3, 6-8 .... Theobald 0
Mr. Davidson's Lady Clara, 3, 6-7 (car. 6-8) T. Morgan 0
Mr. Cummins's Jasper, 3, 6-0 .... H. Leach 0
(Winner trained by Persse.)
Betting—11 to 8 agst. TETRAMETER, 7 to 1 each Ruysdael and Francis Joseph, 10 to 1 Pharmacie, 10 to 1 each Malva and Lady Clara, 100 to 7 each Isle of Wight and Surcoat, 100 to 6 bar eight.
Surcoat, Pharmacie, and Alienor began slowly. Francis Joseph got off in front of Tetrameter and Isle of Wight and led to the distance, where Tetrameter challenged and won a fine race by a neck; two lengths between second and third. Isle of Wight was fourth, Zoomp fifth, John Green next, and Hassock last.

3.35—JUVENILE MAIDEN PLATE of £200. 5 f.
Sir G. Murray's ch. f. MOUNTAIN LIGHT, by Juggernaut—Mountain Jewel, 8-9 .. Carslake 1
Mr. Musker's BELLE ROYAL C., 8-12 .... Gray 2
Mr. Ash's CANDESCENT C., 8-12 .... Donoghue 3
Also ran—Princess Charming (J. Leach), Black Fairy (H. Chalmers), Soldat (J. Brennan), Scorpio (Spear), Naughty Princess (G. Smith), Royal Balm gelding (Griggs), La Melba filly (Wragg), Amy Keen (Fox), Pandemonium (E. Toon). (Winner trained by Persse.)
Betting—Evens Princess Charming, 4 to 1 MOUNTAIN LIGHT, 5 to 1 Candescent colt, 10 to 1 bar three.
Won by a neck; two lengths.

4.0—MAIDEN (Apprentice) PLATE of £150. 1¼ m.
Lady Nunburnholme's b. g. YOUNG POLE, by Junior—Polynetta, 4, 7-8 .... W. Atkins 1
Mr. Tilley's GREEN SLEEVES, 3, 7-0 Roxborough 2
Mr. Hassan's PERFECT SAILOR, 3, 6-1 (car. 6-5) .... W. Speckman 3
Also ran—Sweet Mauvereen (P. Cornell), Old Mick (S. Wilson). (Winner trained by Hugh Powney.)
Betting—9 to 4 on YOUNG POLE, 4 to 1 agst. Green Sleeves, 8 to 1 any other.
Won by about two lengths; half a length.

TO-DAY'S SELECTIONS.

There is every likelihood of a continuance on the concluding day of the big fields which were associated with the opening of the fixture. Bruff Bridge is here for the Bromford Plate, and I give him preference over Man Friday and the rest, which are only a moderate lot. In the Burton Nursery I like best Fille D'Or and Queen's Mary, the Worcester winner, with a slight preference for the former. The Villager in the Sutton Plate I regard as the best thing of the day. Selections:—

Bromford Plate—**Bruff Bridge.**
Solihull Nursery—**Kilfinny filly** or **Sparkling Eyes.**
Burton Nursery—**Fille D'Or.**
Sutton Handicap—**The Villager.**
Harborne Plate—**William Tell.**
Tamworth Plate—**Sainte Helene.**

(The figures preceding the horses' names give the placings in the last three races in which engaged. S. indicates started slowly.)

1.30—BROMFORD (S.) PLATE of £200. 1¼ m.
000 FINCHALE (Mr. Baylis) .... Shedden 6 9 0
442 BRUFF BRIDGE (Mr. Cottrill) ... Cottrill 6 9 0
134 DUTCHMAN (Mr. Fitch) .... Poole 5 9 0
000 GIRVAN (Mr. F. Hartigan) .... Hartigan 6 9 0
334 SPEEN (Mr. Liddell) .... Woodland 7 9 0
403 MAN FRIDAY (Ld. Zetland) .... Dundas 4 9 0
000 DAMAR (Mr. Alexander) .... O'Sullivan 5 8 11
110 VA VA (Mr. Sevadjian) .... O. Bell 4 8 11
403 SPELL (Mr. Venn) .... Lee 5 8 11
001 AMBOYNA (Mr. Whiting) .... Whiting 4 8 11
023 CHARLOTA (Mr. Wigan) .... Braime 4 8 11
000 EMANCIPATION (Ld. Durham) .... Peck 3 8 4
200 GLEN FYNE (Mr. Green) .... Green 3 8 4
011 TOMMY LONG (Mr. Greenwood) .... Moss 3 8 4
042 RAINBOW (Mr. Jenkins) .... Archer 3 8 4
(The above have arrived.)
000 RIVOBED (Mr. Allden) .... G. Allden 5 9 0
340 SPECULATOR (Ld. Jersey) .... Templeman 4 9 0
000 LITTLE ENGLAND (Mrs. Platt) Beatty 4 9 0
4s2 ZEPHYR (Mr. Allden) .... G. Allden 5 8 11
000 GLEN EAGLE (Mr. Edge) .... Poole 5 8 11
310 VALENTINE VOX (Mr. Goodman) Lund 5 8 11
000 CRACKER (Mrs. Gritt) .... Gilbert 4 8 11
104 YAHNA (Mr. T. Hartigan) .... Bennett 4 8 11
000 FOOL PROOF (Mr. Kenyon) .... J. Dodd 5 8 11
000 CLEARING SHOWER (Mr. Pettifer) Gilbert 4 8 11
00s BAALGAD (Mr. Swire) .... Armstrong 6 8 11
003 STAR OF HOPE (Lady Torrington) Scouny 5 8 11
100 CROISEUR (Mr. F. Benson) .... Wilson 3 8 7
204 JIM DANDY (Mr. Dixon) .... Lines 3 8 7
143 CLINCHER (Mr. Leader) .... C. Leader 3 8 7
100 MILLY LENGLEN (Maj. Morris) .... Morris 3 8 4
000 LUSCINIA C. (Mr. H. Dickson) .... Rintoul 2 6 7
03 RITAYLEN G. (Mrs. E. Dickson) Rintoul 2 6 4
0 WILLING CHICK (Mr. Hands) .... Saxby 2 6 4

2.0—SOLIHULL (S.) NURSERY of £200. 6 f.
s02 SHEFFIELD LANE (Mr. Hartley) O'Sullivan 8 5
002 PHANARIOT (Mr. H. Dickson) .... Rintoul 8 2
003 SACRED IBIS C. (Mr. Ash) .... H. Leader 8 2
003 CONFIRMATION (Mr. Cohen) .... Tabor 7 12
000 AMY KEEN (Mr. Cottle) .... Hyde 7 11
420 FULNECK (Mr. Hartley) .... O'Sullivan 7 9
034 SPARKLING EYES (Mr. Crosse) .... Cundell 7 7
000 VARNITZA F. (Mr. Newton) .... Scourfield 7 8
000 MADEMOISELLE PICTET F. (Mr. S. Dennis) Poole 7 1
004 WARM LASSIE (Mr. Giannelli) W. Sanderson 6 13
000 COLCANNON (Mr. Allden) .... P. Allden 6 13
(The above have arrived.)
s01 BENJAMIN CHERRY (Mrs. Beadle) Harper 9 3
001 ASHES (7lb. ex.) (Mr. de Piedas) .... Rhodes 8 13
200 CASSANDER (Mr. de Piedas) .... Rhodes 8 13
200 GARRULOUS (Mr. Brassey) .... H. Sadler 8 9
000 WHITE DRAUGHT (Mr. Harris) .... White 8 9
s0 MOPSA (Ld. Derby) .... Lambton 8 6
413 ASCHAM (Mr. Dixon) .... Lines 8 5
000 DOWSE (Mr. Arkwright) .... Pease 8 5
000 SWEET ALYSSUM C. (Mr. Swannick) J. Dawson 8 3
031 TUNMORE (Mr. Harris) .... White 8 3
0o0 BIT OF BLUE (Mr. Petrick) ... T. Cannon 8 3
002 MAIDWELL (Mr. Ismay) .... Darling 8 2
010 REVUES (Mr. Dickson) .... Rintoul 8 2
0o3 BRENDAN'S BEAUTY C. (Mr. Pickering) Pickering 8 2
404 MR. FRED (Mr. Hassett) .... Anthony 8 2
000 WOLSELEY (Mr. H. Leader) .... Leader 8 1
004 C.A.V. (Mr. Heath) .... Scobie 8 0
000 SUBITO (Mr. Sheikh) .... Private 8 0
000 BOMBINO (Mr. J. de Rothschild) .... Pratt 8 0
00 BUSHVELD (Mr. E. Day) .... Day 8 0
000 KILFINNY F. (Ld. Pembroke) .... H. Sadler 7 13
000 SYLVIA SCARLET (Maj. Hince) .... Randall 7 13
000 HONOLULU (Mr. W. Renwick) .... Renwick 7 12
003 DISDAINFUL F. (Mr. Fox) .... J. Jarvis 7 12
000 WAR MINT F. (Mr. Sanderson) .... D. Rogers 7 12
000 N.J.B. (Julia Desmond f.) (Mr. Chilcott) F. Hartigan 7 11
020 CONJECTURE F. (Mrs. Stevens) .... Stevens 7 10
033 BAAIMAZOL (Mr. Vincent) .... J. Payne 7 10
003 SPORTING ROCK (Mr. Gladden) C. Waugh 7 10
000 MARIA MONK (Sir O. Mosley) .... Archer 7 10
300 CRUMPLE (Sir F. Price) .... Prickness 7 10
002 MELTON'S GUIDE F. (Ld. Barnby) Morris 7 9
00s ROYAL CAMP (Mr. Baum) .... E. Martin 7 8
000 BACHELOR'S POINT (Mr. Lowry) Hy. Powney 7 8
000 LAST LINE F. (Mr. Adams) .... Cundell 7 7
000 REFINER (Mr. Mikes) .... Escott 7 6
400 WHITE ROSE (Mr. Hey) .... R. J. Colling 7 6
003 LADAS MAID C. (Mr. Hardy) .... Hogg 7 6
440 SPORTING JACK (Perfecta c.) (Mr. G. Smith) McCormack 7 1
000 AM TRUE (Mr. Guy) .... Robson 6 12

2.30—BURTON NURSERY of £850. 5 f.
313 COMPILER (Mr. Schaverien) .... Nugent 8 2
112 DUTEOUS (Mr. Ash) .... H. Leader 7 12
010 HILLMAN (Mr. Williams) .... Hogg 7 9
004 SEACRAFT (Ld. Glanely) .... C. Marsh 7 9
021 FILLE D'OR (Mr. Langley) .... J. Cannon 7 8
001 QUEEN'S MARY (7lb. ex.) (Mr. Gilpin) Gilpin 7 2
300 BELLE ROYAL C. (Mr. Musker) .... O. Bell 6 8
400 PAPANICO (Papavero c.) (Mr. Singer) Scourfield 6 8
031 MORESTAL (Mr. Bassett) .... Baliol 6 8
001 DOUBLE BACK F. (Mr. R. Day) .... Day 6 7
(The above have arrived.)
111 VERDICT (Ld. Coventry) .... W. Waugh 9 0
330 SU SU (Sir G. Renwick) .... J. Renwick 8 5
000 LOWOOD (Mr. Ainsworthy) .... Griggs 8 3
410 IRETTE (Mr. Michelinos) .... Hunt 8 3
100 VERMENA (Mr. Wylam) .... J. Rhodes 8 3
00 DERRY MOUNT (Mr. Langley) J. Cannon 8 1
433 COURIER (Mr. S. Darling) .... Darling 7 13
s1 GOLDEN HAIR (Mr. J. Bell) .... Pope 7 12
200 WOODMAN (Mr. Benson) .... Lowe 7 8
000 GOLDEN MESH (Sir B. Sheffield) Butters 7 8
204 GOLD WILLOW (Capt. Wilson) J. Renwick 7 7
000 PIZARRO (Mr. Reed) .... D. Waugh 7 7
000 JOYZELLE (Sir E. Hulton) .... D. Waugh 7 7
001 COVENTRY (7lb. ex.) (Mr. Ralli) Sadler, jun. 7 7
302 AQUITAINE (Ld. Derby) .... Lambton 7 7
200 MY OWN (Mrs. Bancroft) .... Easterbee 7 7
000 TORLONIA (Ld. Derby) .... Lambton 7 6
000 BLUE SOL (Sir A. Bailey) .... R. Day 7 6
000 HASTEN HOME (Mr. Salvin) ... H. Sadler 7 4
032 BOLD DANBY (H.H. Aga Khan) R. Dawson 7 4
414 TOPBOOT (Mr. Keene) .... Butters 7 4
044 MONTCALM (Maj. Holliday) .... Lines 7 3
100 BELASCO (Mr. J. de Rothschild) .... Pratt 7 3
010 NECTARINIA (Lady S. Scott) .. S. Darling 7 3
000 BOARD OF GUARDIANS (Mr. Morris) Vasey 7 3
400 BRILLIANCE (Mr. D. Smith) ... H. Sadler 7 2
400 MASTERPIECE (Mr. Kenyon) .... Basley 7 2
044 ORIEL (Mr. Johnstone) .... R. Day 7 0
020 IRISH MAIDEN C. (Mr. Musker) ... O. Bell 6 13
440 IMPETUOUS (Mr. Kenyon) .... Basley 6 13
400 SUNSHOT F. (Mr. Davidson) .... Cottrill 6 13
000 ROMSEY (Royal Lass f.) (Mr. Singer) Scourfield 6 12
103 JOKWELL GREEN (Mr. Crossman) .... Pope 6 12
000 KILWORTH (Mr. Ismay) .... F. Darling 6 12
000 MORNING SUNSHINE (Sir H. Cunliffe-Owen) Leach, sen. 6 11
000 BOTANIST (Mr. Solomon) .... MacColl 6 11
303 EXMOOR BILL (Ld. Glanely) .... C. Marsh 6 10
080 RETALIATE (Capt. Hontrey) R. Sherwood 6 10
433 SUNRISING (Mr. Fraser) .... R. Day 6 9
000 DAMAE (Mr. Barkworth) .... J. Jarvis 6 9
003 NORAH McTAVISH (Mr. Westgate) G. Sadler 6 9
403 ALASTAIR (Sir A. Bailey) .... R. Day 6 9
043 INDOLENCE (Ld. Durham) .... Peck 6 9
340 ARCTIC NIGHT (Mr. Curzon) .... Watts 6 9
300 YONDER (Mr. Morris) .... F. Darling 6 9
000 SISTER AGNES (Sir H. Cunliffe-Owen) Leach, sen. 6 7
010 SUNNY BILL (Mr. Howard) .... Butters 6 7
000 DADDY'S PET (Mr. Curzon) .... Watts 6 7
032 CELEBRATE (Mrs. Smithson) .... Roberts 6 7
303 DAMAGE F. (Sir R. Jardine) .... T. Waugh 6 5
000 NOIR (Mr. Drage) .... F. Darling 6 5
104 WELLWISHER (Miss Keyser) .... Cottrill 6 2
100 ELMA (Mr. Shelley) .... Shelley 6 2
004 FLUTE C. (Lady Farrar) .... R. Day 6 0
002 GOLDEN FEAST (Mr. Wylam) .... Rhodes 6 0

3.0—SUTTON HANDICAP of £800. 1m. 5f.
132 BOWOOD (His Majesty) .... R. Marsh 4 8 0
320 SPES (Mr. R. Dawson) .... R. Dawson 3 7 9
023 ADORNA (Mr. Moseley) .... Batho 5 7 9
421 THE VILLAGER (Mr. A. de Rothschild) Watson 4 7 8
210 OLD TIMES (Mr. Taylor) ... Coulthwaite 4 7 3
300 ROSE DES VENTS (Mr. Settle) Madden 3 7 2
(The above have arrived.)
100 FLINT JACK (Mr. Fleming) .... O. Bell 5 9 5
200 BRACKET (Mrs. Robinson) .... R. Day 5 9 3
002 FRED POWER (Ld. Woolavington) F. Darling 3 9 2
431 EAST TOR (12lb. ex.) (Mr. W. Singer) Taylor 4 8 8
000 GLORIOSO (Ld. Derby) .... Lambton 4 8 7
210 FIRST WHEAT (Mr. de Pledge) Rhodes 4 8 7
390 WILLONYA (Mr. Howard) .... Darling 4 8 6
300 HAREEN II. (Mr. Sanday) .... Sanday 4 8 4
000 MILENKO (Mr. J. de Rothschild) .... Pratt 4 8 4
123 NIGHTSHIFT (Maj. Daly) .... Bletsoe 3 8 1
230 O'DORNEY (Mr. Ash) .... H. Leader 3 7 13
010 BESSEMA (Sir A. Bailey) .... R. Day 3 7 12
014 BRANCE (Ld. Woolavington) F. Darling 3 7 11
103 GALWAY PRINCE (Mr. Barclay) Barclay 3 7 11
114 PETER RUSH (Mr. Cunliffe) .... Morley 3 7 10
320 WEST COUNTRYMAN (Sir R. Jardine) T. Waugh 4 7 7
3ss THARROS (Mr. Michalinos) .... Hunt 3 7 7
001 BRISTOL CHANNEL (Mr. W. Williams) Hogg 4 7 6
314 RECESS (Capt. Forester) .... Harper 3 7 5
030 SOUTHERN FLIGHT (Sir W. Cooke) J. Jarvis 3 7 5
000 STEAMER (Mr. H. Dickson) .... Rintoul 4 7 4
400 POLEMBERG (Ld. Lonsdale) ... Sadler, jun. 4 7 4
240 VADDY (Mr. Hardy) .... Hogg 4 7 3
311 GLEN ANDRED (Mr. Crosse) .... Cundell 3 7 1
330 BOXER (Maj. Worthington) W. Jarvis 3 7 0
000 JUST FOR LUCK (Mr. D. Dickson) Coulthwaite 6 7 0
000 DHOTI (Mr. Davis) .... Roberts 3 7 0
003 BAALBEK (Mr. Vinegrad) .... Vasey 4 7 0
000 ALIADOS (Maj. Porter) .... Gilbert 4 7 0
204 SEWING MACHINE (Mr. Rawson) J. Jarvis 3 7 0
000 SILVER THISTLE (Mrs. Bell) ... M. Bell 3 7 0

3.30—HARBORNE THREE-Y.O. PLATE (Handicap) of £200. 6 f.
000 REPAID (Mr. Robinson) .... R. Day 8 8
000 KILNWICK (Capt. Whitworth) .... Butters 8 4
250 QUESTIONNAIRE (Mr. Hay) .... Pickering 8 2
003 COUNT LENA (Mr. L. Dickson) .... Rintoul 7 4
000 ROSE BRIDGE (Mr. Smith) ... McCormack 7 1
(The above have arrived.)
014 SARGON (Mr. Davison) .... E. Pigott 9 11
001 HUNTING SONG (Sir H. Cunliffe-Owen) Dale 9 6
100 STAR REGAL (Sir W. Cooke) ... J. Jarvis 9 4
000 PENTRIDGE (Mr. C. Gordon) .... Braime 9 2
000 UNISON (Mr. S. Joel) .... de Mestre 9 0
010 GOLDSTREAM (Mr. Hassan) .... Leader 8 13
040 WILLIAM TELL (Mr. Riggs) .... MacColl 8 12
000 KING WILLOW (Capt. Wilson) .... Renwick 8 12
404 PLAS NEWYDD (Ld. Wolverton) Lambton 8 11
010 GENTLEMAN (Mr. Hirst) .... Tabor 8 10
030 PRIMA DONNA (Mr. Fair) .... Robson 8 9
000 KOLINSKY (Mrs. Whitburn) .... Cottrill 8 7
300 YOUNG PERSEUS (Mr. Sutton) W. Waugh 8 6
130 ALMOND WINE (Mr. Knowles) .... Nugent 8 6
400 BROTHER BILL (Sir H. Bird) .... Earl 8 6
100 DESERT ROSE (Mr. Miller) .... O. Bell 8 6
300 PHOCIS (Mr. Baum) .... E. Martin 8 5
024 LADY ROSE (Capt. Whitworth) .... Archer 8 3
000 BIMBIA (Mr. Gollan) .... R. Day 8 2
000 OR (Mr. Galstaun) .... O. Bell 8 1
s0 YARNTON (Mr. Stratton) .... Stratton 8 0
00 KING'S BOUNTY (Ld. Churchill) Hugh Powney 7 13
000 SUNBOW (Sir R. Jardine) .... T. Waugh 7 13
00s SQUARE SECTION (Sir H. Randall) G. Sadler 7 13
321 WARRAIN (Mr. Liddell) .... Woodland 7 13
020 LOMAX (Capt. Elsee) .... Wilkins 7 12
002 DEBRETT (Mr. W. Brown) .... Chesbourne 7 11
000 WOOLEY BRIDGE (Mr. Rhodes) Coldbeck 7 10
300 SON OF A GUN (Mr. Curzon) .... Watts 7 9
050 MITCHELLS (Mr. Jaggard) .... G. Sadler 7 9
004 WARRIOR (Mrs. Brownlee) .... Batho 7 8
000 BLENHEIM (Mr. Isaacs) .... Skelton 7 8
000 FLOSS (Mr. Liddell) .... Woodland 7 0
000 DARK BELLE (Mr. Evans) .... J. Scott 7 0
040 PERSICOVSKY (Mr. Howes) .... Madden 7 0
000 REDSHANK (Mr. Hulme) .... Hulme 7 0

4.0—TAMWORTH PLATE of £200. 1 m.
002 LOSSET (Mr. Kenyon) .... Basley 5 8 4
010 SAINTE HELENE (Mr. Williams) Hoggs 3 8 4
020 WHITE FRIAR (Mr. Dickson) .... Rintoul 3 7 7
032 NOCTIFER (Mr. Leigh) .... C. Leader 3 7 7
000 SWEET MAUVEREEN (Mr. Allden) Allden 3 7 4
002 BACHELOR JOHN (Ld. Glanely) C. Marsh 3 7 4
(The above have arrived.)
340 SPECULATOR (Ld. Jersey) Templeman 4 9 0
BELSIZE (Mr. Shaw) .... Bennett 4 9 0
000 UNG JE SERVIRAY (Capt. Fletcher) Fletcher 5 8 7
000 ALDER (Mr. F. Benson) .... Wilson 6 8 7
000 ELPTERION (Mrs. Blain) .... Spittle 5 8 7
0 FARIRAY (Mr. Monaghan) .. Coulthwaite 5 8 7
015 ATTABOY (Mr. Davison) .... E. Piggott 5 8 4
200 BRACKET (Mrs. Robinson) .... R. Day 5 8 4
203 ARDSOULL (Mr. Parrish) .... MacColl 5 8 4
233 DRUMREE (Mr. Sanday) .... Sanday 6 8 4
002 ABBEY ISLAND (Mrs. Stevens) Stevens 4 8 4
400 CORBAN (Ld. D'Abernon) .... Lambton 4 8 0
302 HILL COUNTRY (Sir R. Jardine) T. Waugh 4 8 0
000 MORNING STAR (Mr. Baylis) T. Leader 7 7 11
200 BENEFICE (Mr. Brook) .... MacColl 4 7 11
000 BAC MORE (Ld. Cholmondeley) Ferguson 4 7 11
05 DOWN SOUTH (Mr. Kenyon) .... Basley 5 7 11
000 HERE (Mr. Hy. Powney) .... Hy. Powney 5 7 11
025 CHARLOTA (Mr. Wigan) .... Braime 4 7 11
035 ROYSTON (Mr. Ralli) .... Sadler, jun. 3 7 7
000 OR (Mr. Galstaun) .... O. Bell 3 7 7
0 BELLMAN (Mr. Curzon) .... Watts 3 7 4
000 BALM (Ld. Durham) .... Peck 3 7 4
020 LOMAX (Capt. Elsee) .... Wilkins 3 7 4
000 HORIZON (Mr. Gilpin) .... Gilpin 3 7 4
000 BAY LEAVES (Mr. Haynes) .... Haynes 3 7 4
230 STREAK OF LIGHT (Mr. Pringle) Waugh 3 7 4
005 OWEN (Mr. M. Rhodes) .... White 3 7 4
0 DUCKBIRD (Mr. Riddle) .... J. Scott 3 7 4
041 KINGTHORPE (Mr. Brown) ... Chesbourne 3 n.q.
401 WEED KILLER (Mr. Gasder) C. Waugh 3 n.q.
031 GOLD COAST (Mr. Lowe) .... Hare 3 n.q.
0s1 HOLDFAST (Mr. W. Waugh) .... Waugh 3 n.q.

SCRATCHINGS.—Burton Nursery — Portsoy, Kepplestone, Pola, Angela, Katie, Carristown. Sutton Handicap—Melibeus, Cyclax, Backwood, Caleb, Stanislaus, Won by Waiting, Servitude, Spithead, Poiret, Crozet. Harborne Plate—Stingo, His Excellency.

ARRIVALS.—Dutchman, Girvan, Va Va, Glen Fyne, Tommy Long, Finchale, Damar, Amboyna, Charlota, Speen, Spell, Emancipation, Bruff Bridge, Man Friday, Rainbow, Sacred Ibis colt, Varnitza filly, Mademoiselle Pictet filly, Colcannon, Amy Keen, Confirmation, Sheffield Lane, Fulneck, Phanariot, Sparkling Eyes, Warm Lassie, Queen's Mary, Papanico, Belle Royal colt, Double Back filly, Compiler, Seacraft, Duteous, Fille d'Or, Hillman, Morestal, Old Times, Rose des Vents, Spes, Adorna, Bowood, The Villager, Repaid, Kilnwick, Questionnaire, Count Lena, Rosebridge, Noctifer, Sweet Mauvereen, White Friar, Bachelor John, Lossett, Sainte Helene.

KILDARE AND NATIONAL HUNT RACES (PUNCHESTOWN),

APRIL 10th and 11th, 1923.
Entries Close TO-MORROW (WEDNESDAY) with Mr. F. H. Clarke, 14 Upper Merrion street, Dublin, for the following Race:—

FIRST DAY.
THE MAIDEN PLATE of 500 sovs. For horses that are maidens on 1st November, 1922, and that have not won a race under Rules of Flat Racing, in any country, of the value of 300 sovs. after the age of two years. Four miles, over the Conyngham Cup Course. 1 sov. entrance, the only liability up to January 3rd, 1923.

For full articles see Irish Racing Calendar, Sport, or Irish Field.
—(Advt.)

COURSING.

CELBRIDGE MEETING—YESTERDAY.

Judge—Mr. Davin. Slipper—P. Norton.

GRIFFINRATH STAKES—For 16 puppies. Winner £25, second £12, two dogs £3 5/- each.
Mr. J. Maher's Divided Nation a bye, Mr. M. Byrne's Clifton Boy absent.
Mr. J. G. Collins's I'm Willing beat Mr. M. Dunne's Dolly Rhu.
Mr. A. A. Odlum's Mark It Square beat Miss Lawler's Dart.
Mr. J. F. Donogan's Princess Clooneen beat Miss K. Cosgrave's Bang Up Marie.
Mr. T. Moore's Gentstown beat Mr. N. Kealy's Kitty's Wedding.
Mr. L. Weir's Highland Molly beat Mr. T. Harte's Hidden Mermaid.
Mr. John Martin's Merry Speed II. beat Mr. M. Kiernan's Lyncahaun.
Messrs. Herns and Doyle's An Dail beat Mr. J. G. Collins's Clicked (1).
II.
Divided Nation beat I'm Willing.
Princess Clooneen beat Mark It Square.
Gentstown beat Highland Molly.
An Dail beat Merry Speed II.
III.
Divided Nation beat Princess Clooneen.
Gentstown beat An Dail.
Mr. J. Maher's f. d. Divided Nation (Knocknagow VII.—Hallow Girl) and Mr. T. Moore's bk. d. Gentstown (Happy Sam IV.—Phil's Delight) divided.

TANGO CUP—For 16 all ages. Winner £34 and Cup, second £14, two dogs £4 each.
Mr. G. Yates's Gambling Billie a bye, Mr. J. Flannery's Muckley Hill absent.
Mr. J. Mullhall's Hill of Spa beat Mr. W. Duffy's Wee Ally.
Mr. W. Mahon's Mutt's Brother beat Mr. P. Everard's Flying Star.
Mr. J. Travers's Try She Will beat Mr. V. Slater's Supper Man.
Miss Deane's Blarney's Hope a bye, Mr. Kearney's Some Hawk absent.
Messrs. Young and O'Neill's Miltiades II. beat Mr. M. Davitt's Fond Desire II.
Mr. W. Holton's Short Knock beat Mr. P. Murphy's The Avenue.
Mr. M. Norton's Blood Royal beat Mr. J. Kissane's Frisco Kid.
II.
Hill of Spa beat Gambling Billie.
Mutt's Brother beat Try She Will.
Miltiades II. beat Blarney's Hope.
Short Knock beat Blood Royal.
III.
Mutt's Brother beat Hill of Spa.
Miltiades II. beat Short Knock.
Mr. W. Mahon's r. d. Mutt's Brother (Enoch—Monotore) and Messrs. Young and O'Neill's r. f. d. Miltiades II. (Kaiser II—Spinning Queen IV.) divided.

GREENFIELD STAKES—For 16 all ages. Winner £24, second £10, two dogs £3 each.
Mr. P. O'Connell's Ballydonion beat Messrs. Young and O'Neill's Athalanta.
Mr. T. Magee's Clougheddér beat Mr. R. Alvy's Finding Gold.
Mr. J. Gowing's Gardentaggert beat Mr. J. Griffith's Cheerful Chance.
Mr. J. O'Brien ns. Grandon beat Mr. J. Leech's Hot Air.
Mr. G. Lynch's Lady Finglas beat Mr. R. J. Kelly's Ketch Clifford.
Mr. T. O'Herlihy's Downgounah Girl a bye, Mr. L. Mooney's Stanaway absent.
Mr. F. O'Rourke's Bold Face beat Mr. M. Kiernan's Spinning Wheel V.
Mr. G. Plunkett's Particular II. beat Mr. C. Roger's Irish Prince.
II.
Ballydonion beat Clougheddér.
Grandon beat Gardentaggert.
Lady Finglas beat Downgounah Girl.
Bold Face beat Particular II.
III.
Grandon beat Ballydonion.
Bold Face beat Lady Finglas.
Mr. J. O'Brien ns. bk. d. Grandon (Our Bustler—Grand Court) and Mr. P. O'Rourke's r. or f. d. Bold Face (Idler—Molly Desmond) divided.

A bitterly cold wind made matters rather unpleasant at Griffinrath yesterday, and to accentuate the discomforts entailed by having to stand for several hours in the harsh breeze there were tedious delays caused by greyhounds running unsighted, and the inability of the beaters to send the hares out promptly. In the last hour and a half, however, those working behind the slipper got through their work with greater despatch, and a finish was effected in bad light, the three Stakes being divided. The dividers in each case, however, had had quite enough of it for one day, for the trials, with few exceptions, were somewhat trying, a number finishing several fields away. Yet, better sport has been provided by the club, and it would be difficult to give a reason for so many dogs running unsighted.

Several of the puppies ran very green, and more than one of those beaten will likely do better in the open before the season ends. Divided Nation and Gentstown, who shared the spoils in the Griffinrath Stakes, are promising youngsters, but we preferred An Dail to either; in fact, he was unlucky to be beaten in a fine, long course by Gentstown; although he may have been fortunate to get a hat off against Clicked in his first course. Two well-known performers in Mutt's Brother and Miltiades, who ran their courses brilliantly, divided the Tango Cup Stakes, and, on tossing for the Cup, Messrs. Young and O'Neill took the trophy. The two dogs were in a class by themselves, and had they run it out behind a good hare a most interesting course would have been witnessed.

BADMINTON.

SANDFORD CLUB.

There will be no play until next week.

OFFICIAL SCRATCHINGS.

Liverpool Autumn Cup—Bumble Bee and Poiret, at 9 a.m. yesterday.
Derby Cup—Poiret, at 9 a.m. yesterday.
BIRMINGHAM MEETING.
Burton Nursery—Pomone, Pola.
Coventry Nursery—Schoolgate.
Birmingham Selling Handicap—Shandon Bells.
Packington Handicap—Night Watchman.
Sutton Handicap—Poiret, Caleb, Crozet.
Harborne Three-Year-Old Plate—Stingo, Beeswax.
Juvenile Plate—Tarpieto.
Birmingham engagements—Katie, Cyclax, Kepplestone, His Excellency.
NEWBURY MEETING.
Reading Nursery—Pomone, Noce d'Argent, Overseer, Theale.
Maiden Plate—Pomore.
Beckhampton Handicap—Brent, Glenogle, Crozet.
November Nursery—Kepplestone.
Twyford Nursery—Julia Desmond filly, Manton.
High-Weight Handicap—Crozet.
LIVERPOOL MEETING.
Knowsley Nursery—Apparent.
Downe Nursery—Lake Superior, Overseer.
Ford Selling—Shandon Bells.
Witherslack Nursery Schoolgate.
WINDSOR MEETING.
Forest Nursery—Pomone, Puddleduck.
Clarence Handicap—Brest, Glenogle, Crozet.
Black Nest Handicap—Flecy, Miss Majority.
Thames Handicap—Night Watchman.
Combermere Handicap—Caleb.
Apprentice Plate—Crozet.
College Nursery—Drumlassie.
Frogmore Nursery—By Mistake.
MISCELLANEOUS.
Tiddesley Handicap, Pershore—Lady Wavelet.
Land o' Plums Handicap, Pershore—Holdcroft.
Selling Nursery, Lincoln—Wallsend.
All engagements in Mr. W. H. Dixon's name—Shandon Bells.
All engagements in Mr. James A. de Rothschild's name—Barbarbarno.
All published handicaps—Garristown.
All engagements made prior to October 27th—Highcliff, Dollar Princess, Faverole filly.
All engagements this year—Backwood, Spithead, Stanislaus, Sister-in-Law, Won by Waiting, Angela, Welbeck Plate, Lincoln, Branxholme, Invisible.
All engagements—Heart of Oak, Bumble Bee, Woodlark.
Birmingham Selling Handicap—Stand Aside.

SPORTING PARAGRAPHS.

Subsequently to the race for the Coventry Nursery Plate at Birmingham yesterday the Stewards requested H. Gray to explain his riding of Glastonbury. Gray's explanation proved perfectly satisfactory, and the incident closed.

The following officers have been elected for the Cambridge University Cricket Club next season:—Captain, C. T. Ashton (Winchester and Trinity); secretary, G. O. Allen (Eton and Trinity); assistant treasurer, P. A. Wright (Wellingborough and Jesus).

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BIRMINGHAM SELECTIONS.

DOUBLES AND SPECIAL NAPS.

Daily Chronicle:—To "Beat the Book"—Sewing Machine. Double—Queen's Mary and Sewing Machine.
Daily Graphic:—Double—Sparkling Eyes and Gentleman.
Daily Mail:—Special selection—Bruff Bridge. Double event—Bruff Bridge and Compiler.
Daily Express:—Safety bet—Sparkling Eyes to win.
Daily Mirror:—Double—Recess (nap) and Attaboy.

LEAGUE SYSTEM IN GOLF.

SUGGESTED LINKS IN PHŒNIX PARK.

The likelihood, or otherwise, of the Dublin Golf clubs approving the formation by the Leinster Branch of the Golfing Union of Ireland of a League, or combination of Leagues, is being keenly discussed in the clubs. The subject, which was introduced at the last branch meeting, has, in fact, caused a noticeable "flutter" in clubland. Another, and, in my opinion, perhaps, more important matter which is claiming its share of attention is Municipal golf, the "pioneers" of which, if they may be so described, are progressing steadily, and bringing the subject well within the range of practical golfing politics.

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As I remarked in a previous article, the idea of the introduction of the League system into Dublin Golf is not likely to make a strong appeal to a certain class of player, and, doubtless, those who favour the adoption of the system will have to be prepared to meet strong opposition from that quarter. Already these people have come into the open with their arguments against the idea, but surely it is no argument against the application of the League system to golf for one to affirm that he would sooner see young golfers play Association football than take part in League golf, seeing that all the Universities have their Association football teams, and award to their "soccer" men their "Blues." The golfers who assert that the League system in golf would be degrading to the game, and would not yield the results that are claimed for it are entitled to their opinions, just as the supporters of League golf are entitled to theirs.

One of the most convincing arguments that can be put forward in favour of Leagues for any branch of athletics is that it has always condoned to keener competition, and at the same time has been responsible for the bringing together at regular and frequent intervals of sportsmen who, without such facilities as these meetings provide, would probably never have the opportunity of coming together for social intercourse. And, after all, social intercourse is one of the chief attractions of any branch of sport.

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Nowadays the competitive element enters very largely into all our games. Golfers are not less partial to the competitive element in their game than are the disciples of Lawn Tennis, Cricket, Rugby, or Association Football, Bowling, Hockey, etc. There is, in fact, a craving for competition in most of our golf clubs—I will not say all—a craving which the monthly medals and a few other competitions during the season have failed to satisfy. Competition is the life of sport to-day. As a nation of athletes America stands pre-eminent, a position which her athletes have gained by their devotion to scientific methods in training and the strenuous competition with which they have to contend. American golfers owe their supremacy to their strict attention to training (or practice, if the word is preferred). To excel in any branch of sport the aspirant must train assiduously, and that applies as much to golf as to any other game. No golfer can improve his game on ordinary every-day friendly matches, even though the issue at stake is a "ball." The standard of our golf needs improving, and it can, and must, be raised if our players take the game more seriously than they do at present.

Those who play golf mindful only of the recreation which it affords, and careless of every other consideration; those who are determined to go their own way and to stick to the ordinary friendly match are, needless to say, at perfect liberty to do so. But those who see in League golf a means of satisfying their desire to improve their game are also entitled to as much consideration when the committees of the clubs come to decide the matter.

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Regarding municipal golf, I was very pleased to learn the other day that the project is uppermost in the minds of several well-known gentlemen who take more than a passing interest in the game and the welfare of the people. At present it is unnecessary to name these gentlemen; it is sufficient to say that they see in municipal golf a certain medium for bringing the workers into the open air and providing them with a healthy form of recreation. The clubs do not—they cannot—place these means within the reach of the hundreds of workers who are keen on golf, and who can only have a round or two on the payment of a stiff green fee, plus an introduction by a member of the club. It is a weak argument that the present is an inopportune time for thinking of municipal golf in the Phœnix Park; that more vital matters are engaging the attention of the Board of Public Works and the municipal authorities; and that "the people" would object to their rights to the Park (even that part of it which is in mid-summer almost deserted by the people) being invaded. All that those who are working towards municipal golf desire is the necessary permission to lay out a links near the Magazine Fort—nine holes are aimed at as a start—and for the municipal authorities to take an interest in its maintenance on behalf of the ratepayers. As for infringing on the people's rights—well, the links are required for the people, the "common people," the toilers of our capital, and the middle classes, who want golf and cannot get it at the price that they are able to pay for it.

TRAVELLER.

GOLF.

CLONTARF.—Ladies' Branch—November 1st, monthly medal, bogey.

CILLDARA.—Ladies' Branch—Monthly medal, Miss M. Dunne, 58, 15, 43.

FOXROCK.—October Handicap—J. E. Beatty, 95, 4, 81; F. Horne, 83, scr., 83; J. L. Crabbe, 85, 2, 83; W. H. Cooper, 93, 10, 83; F. B. Craig, 99, 16, 83.

WOODVILLE (LURGAN).—The final of the captain's prize (presented by Mr. C. W. Neill, solicitor), was played on the Woodville golf links, near the railway station, Lurgan, when Mr. R. Graham (16) beat Mr. Patrick M'Granaghan (14) by 2 up and 1.

ROSSLARE.—Ladies' Branch—November monthly medal, Saturday, 4th Nov. Draw 12 o'clock. First and second class.

CASTLE.—Final of medals—Winners—1st, H. T. S. Young, 74 net. 2nd, J. L. Jones, 78 net.

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HOCKEY.

LADIES' MATCHES.

Senior League—Maids of the Mountains, 3; Antiquity, 2. Mockross, 3; University College, 1.
Middle League A.—Old College 2nd, 2; National Bank, 0.
Middle League B.—Nutgrove, 3; Antiquity 2nd, 2; Trefoil, 2; Monkstown 2nd, 0.
Middle League C.—Maids of the Mountains 2nd, 6; Antiquity, 1; Triginta II., 7; R.S.P.U., 3.
Junior League A.—National Bank 2nd, 2; Mockross Past 3rd, 0.
Junior League B.—Old College 3rd, 4; Victoria 2nd, 3.
Junior League C.—Triginta 4th, 2; Nutgrove 2nd, 1.

Old College—Practice to-day at 3 o'clock, Milltown.

TO-DAY'S FIXTURE.

Maids of the Mountain—General Practice, Foxrock, 2.30 o'clock.
Maids of the Mountain 3rd v. Monkstown 3rd (Junior League)—Foxrock, 3.30 o'clock.

HUNTING FIXTURES.

WATERFORD FOXHOUNDS—November—Thursday, 2nd, The Mall; Tuesday, 7th, Kilmacthomas; Thursday, 9th, Pouldrew; Saturday, 11th, Clonceakraine. At 11 o'clock.

FINGAL HARRIERS—November—Friday, 3rd, Ballyboghill; Tuesday, 7th, Rathbeal; Friday, 10th, Lusk; Tuesday, 14th, The Boot; Friday, 17th, Springhill; Tuesday, 21st, 7th Milestone, Ashbourne road; Friday, 24th, Nagshead; Tuesday, 28th, Roganstown. At 12 o'clock.

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UNIVERSITY COLLEGE CLUB.

The annual meeting was held in University College, Dublin, on Friday evening last. Surgeon McArdle was in the chair. The secretary (Mr. P. J. McCarthy) read the report for season 1921-1922, and it was approved. The balance sheet of the season tendered by the treasurer (Mr. T. D. McLoughlin) aroused some discussion on future procedure and was then also adopted. The following officers were elected:—Representative L.B.I.R.F.U., A. W. Spain; captain 1st XV., A. W. Spain; vice-captain, G. P. S. Hogan; hon. treasurer, T. D. McLoughlin, 42 Pembroke road, Dublin; hon. secretary, J. P. Collins, University Hall, Hatch street, Dublin; team secretaries, F. Russell, 1st and 2nd XV.'s; A. O'Donovan, 3rd and 3rd A XV.'s; committee, J. Silke, R. E. Davitt, A. W. Spain, G. P. S. Hogan. A vote of thanks was passed to Surgeon McArdle for the support he had always given the club and for presiding at the meeting.

FRENCH FOOTBALL DISPUTE.

LILLE, Monday.

A dispute has arisen in connection with the forthcoming football match between Paris and the North of France at St. Ouen on November 2. The Paris team has protested against the inclusion in the North team of two Englishmen, but the Northern team insist on their retention.—(Reuter.)

MONKSTOWN.—3rd A XV. require an away fixture for Saturday next. Apply Hon. Team Secretary, 32 Nassau street, Dublin.

ASSOCIATION.

AMATEUR INTERNATIONAL.

THE IRISH TEAM.

The Irish selectors met at Belfast last night and chose the following team to represent Ireland at Preston on Saturday, November 11:—

N. Adams (Cliftonville); Lyttle (Cliftonville), T. Frame (Linfield); J. Evans (Glentoran), R. Fallon (Cliftonville), D. Addis (Cliftonville); T. Magill (Glenavon), W. Andrews (Cliftonville), A. Sloan (London Caledonians), A. McIlreavy (Linfield), and J. McGrollan (Linfield).

Reserve—G. Shields (Cliftonville).

The only old caps on the team are Adams and Frame.

IRISH ARMY CUP.

A HARD-FOUGHT GAME.

The 2nd K.S.L.I. qualified for the second round of the Irish Army Cup by a 4-3 victory over the 2nd Welch, but it was only after a hard-fought finish and in the second period of extra time that the Welch retired beaten. The game all through was splendidly contested. In the first half the Shropshires took a lead of 2-1, Cross and Attwood scoring their goals and Cotton netting for the Welch. Cross, soon after the resumption, scored the Shropshires' third, but a misunderstanding among their backs led to the fall of their goal, and their goalkeeper was responsible for a levelling up of the scores by kicking against one of his backs, the ball rebounding into the net. At call of time the score was 3 all, and at the end of the first fifteen minutes of extra time there was no further change. Nine minutes from the end, however, Attwood scored the winning goal for the Shropshires, who thus won by 4 goals to 3.

BOXING.

EX-GUARDSMAN PENWILL v. EMILE ADREDSON.

At Hoxton, London, yesterday afternoon, the heavy-weight contest between ex-Guardsman Penwill and Emile Adredson, a Dane, new to this country, aroused much interest. The Dane had little but his pluck to recommend him, for he was crude, and displayed little skill. He was outboxed from the start, and having stood up against a good deal of severe punishment very gamely, retired in the eighth round. Adredson is really a light heavy-weight, and was giving a stone away in weight to a much more experienced fighter.

BROWN BEATS ARCHER ON POINTS.

With the Dick Smith v. George Cooke match put back for a week owing to an accident to Cooke's hands, a fifteen rounds contest between Johnny Brown (Scotland) and Fred Archer (London) filled the programme at the National Sporting Club, London, last night. Brown, who won the amateur feather-weight championship in 1920, has had great success since embracing professional rank, having won all his matches, while Archer has also a strong record. Last night's contest was, it was understood, an eliminating contest, the winner to be matched with Seaman Hall for the light-weight belt. It was a good bout, but for all Archer's determination the issue was always with the Scotsman while he kept his legs. He was much the cleverer boxer, forced the fighting, and had his man beaten all the way. Archer made a good rally in the fourteenth round, but Brown had the fight safe, and was an easy winner on points at the finish.

CURLEY WALKER v. FRED BULLION.

At The Ring, Blackfriars, London, last night, there was a fine contest between Curley Walker (Lambeth) and Fred Bullion (Deptford). They were well matched for feather-weights, and they were equally clever. For fifteen rounds there was nothing to choose between them. In the seventeenth round Walker had his man down, and though Bullion made a fine recovery and fought gamely to the end the verdict went to Walker on points.

WATER POLO.

IRISH CUP FINAL.

The match between Pembroke (holders) and Belfast Amateur has been fixed to take place in the Iveagh Baths on Saturday next, 4th November. Mr. N. M. Purcell will referee. The match will start at 7.30 p.m. sharp.

CAT KILLS A STOAT.

A cat belonging to a porter at Stansfield View, Todmorden, brought home a full-sized stoat which it had killed in an adjoining field. There was evidence of a stiff fight, the stoat being rather badly mangled, but the cat came out of the struggle almost unscathed.

NEW SUEZ CANAL DIRECTOR.

Mr. J. T. Davies, Mr. Lloyd George's private secretary, is to fill the vacant directorship on the board of directors of the Suez Canal Company. The appointment, the gift of the Treasury, has been vacant for some two years.

HOUSING AND WAGES.

MR. WALSH AND THE CORK WORKERS.

At a meeting of the Cork District Trade Council a letter was read from the Provisional Government's Postmaster-General, Mr. J. J. Walsh, in which he said:—

I have followed up the Cork unemployment crux, as promised. There is no use in concealing the fact that before anything like a normal situation is reached a variety of difficulties will need to be surmounted, and in process of doing so a great many people will have to alter their programme. That there is "profiteering" in Cork, not only by the importer and contractor, but, to some extent also, by the shopkeeper, seems a foregone conclusion, and because of this, not only in Cork, but to a greater or lesser degree elsewhere, the Government will immediately set up a Commission to find the facts for itself, and will follow up its information with the application of measures.

This is the duty of the Government, but, to my personal view it also has a duty to see that the scope of the investigation applies to the question of wages, as well as to value received from the worker in this levelling up or down process. In so chronic a case as the one your Council is faced with, legislation is not in itself a satisfactory remedy. You will need the co-operation of everybody, and once it is realised that a reasonable profit, on the one hand, and a reasonable wage for an honest day's work, on the other, are better than no profit and no wage, then we begin to see daylight. The sooner we face the facts, the sooner we get to work.

HOUSING.

The Government is anxious to see houses put up for the working class people of Cork. It is equally anxious to give work to the idle, and it has placed money at the disposal of the city for both. But there is no use of talking of houses for workmen at £1,000 apiece. The thing is ludicrous. It is also equally so at £650. How can a workingman, with a falling wage market, hope to meet the rent, rates, and taxes of a £650 house? He cannot do it, and the sooner we realise that fact the sooner we will set about building at a price compatible with income.

I am reliably informed that London is quite as dear a place to live in as Dublin or Cork. Yet in the neighbourhood of London houses similar to those contemplated for Cork are being erected for a little over £300 each.

Continuing, Mr. Walsh says:—I sincerely hope that the tradesmen of Cork will lose no time in getting along with their Guild. At any rate, we want unemployment removed, and as speedily as possible. Through one channel or another we have placed immense sums at the disposal of Cork for this purpose, but if anybody—master or man—is foolish enough to believe that, as these moneys are voted by the State, the resultant value is of secondary importance, then there is nothing doing. I am satisfied that, with the whole-hearted co-operation of your Council and those others who are likely to participate, some satisfactory method will be evolved enabling thousands of men in Cork to find work and the State to get value for its outlay.

The Council criticised the letter severely.

Mr. Kelleher, T.C., remarked that it was all part of a conspiracy to bring down wages in the false notion that by bringing down wages there would be plenty of work.

The matter was eventually referred to the Executive of the Building Guild.

PRESENT-DAY MORALS.

THE SAFEGUARDING OF THE YOUNG.

References to present-day morals were made by the Rev. Andreas Macardle, S.J., at the Church of St. Francis Xavier, Lower Gardiner street, Dublin, yesterday, in making an appeal for support on behalf of the Magdalen Asylum, Gloucester street.

He paid a tribute to the excellent work carried on by the nuns for the salvation of the penitent Magdalens who came to them. The asylum needed support, and surely they must admit that there ought not to be added to the Sisters' personal privations the spectre of financial stress. The nuns did splendid things for these poor sinners, saving them from a moral and physical ruin, and opening up a new period of life, in which to forget and overcome the weaknesses of the dark days. What should they say about the scoundrels who led these miserable dupes into an existence of utter degradation, who, with a brazen face, could look at his fellow-men? He had a craven heart, and sooner or later the vengeance of an angry God would overtake him.

What was being done at the present day to safeguard the young? This was an age when youth was taking to itself and using privileges unthought of in the past. Children were no longer subject to their parents, and many had become selfish. They withheld a large amount of their weekly wages, and gave barely enough money to their parents to pay for their personal expenses. They clamoured for a better wage, and they spent it in a life of amusement. One of the things that they do is to go almost nightly to the picture-houses. The living picture made a much more vivid appeal to the imagination than the printed page of even the most fascinating novel; and a book could only be read by one man at a time. A film could be shown to a multitude. Idleness had become rife in our midst, and men now were not ashamed to eat bread that they had not earned.

The preacher also referred to the modern fashions in dress. Was it not strange that modest girls should allow themselves to become slaves of fashion, and to appear in clothes that tended to degrade them? Parents should be mindful of the dances to which they allowed their children to go. Knowing what human nature was, they were aware of the appeals that were made. There was much in modern life that tended to lower the tone of morality. Parents should see that their children were under the parental roof at the proper time to secure a well-needed repose, so that they might be fit to undertake an honest day's work. Was it not right that this absence of reserve that came into their midst as a result of the world war should now cease? The happiness of every State depended on the happiness of the home, and it was a happy land that could boast of many of them.

Another appeal was made on behalf of the Magdalen Asylum in the Church of St. Saviour, Lower Dominick street, in the evening, by the Rev. F. J. Power, O.P.

After being five days without food, the crew of a French fishing boat, which had been driven by gales into the Atlantic, were succoured by the French liner Rochambeau, which was on its way to Plymouth from New York.

SELECTIONS FOR TO-DAY'S BIRMINGHAM MEETING.

PAPER.	1.30 RACE.	2.0 RACE.	2.30 RACE.	3.0 RACE.	3.30 RACE.	4.0 RACE.
Sportsman	Bruff Bridge.	Dowse.	Compiler or Queen's Mary.	Adorna or Recess.	Plas Newydd; if ab., Count Lena	Attaboy.
Man on the Spot	Bruff Bridge.	Phanariot.	Compiler.	The Villager.	Almond Wine; if ab., Plas Newydd.	Hill Country; if ab., The Lossett.
D. Mail	Bruff Bridge.	Sacred Ibis colt.	Compiler.	Spes; if ab., Adorna.	Gentleman.	Attaboy.
D. News	Bruff Bridge (nap).	Baalmazol.	Queen's Mary.	The Villager.	Gentleman.	Hill Country.
D. Express	Bruff Bridge.	Sparkling Eyes (next best).	Queen's Mary; if ab., Compiler.	The Villager (nap).	Plas Newydd; if ab., Almond Wine.	Bracket; if ab., Hill Country.
D. Graphic	Bruff Bridge.	Sparkling Eyes.	Compiler.	Vaddy; if ab., Adorna.	Gentleman (nap).	Charlota.
D. Chronicle	Bruff Bridge.	Disdainful filly.	Queen's Mary (nap).	Sewing Machine.	Questionnaire.	Attaboy.
Sporting Life	Charlota.	Phanariot.	Hillman (nap).	Spes.	Repaid.	Attaboy.
Man on the Spot	Bruff Bridge.	Mademoiselle Pictet filly.	Compiler (nap).	The Villager.	William Tell.	Bellman.
Star	Zephyr.	Royal Camp.	Queen's Mary.	Sewing Machine.	Almond Wine.	Streak of Light.
Pall Mall	Damar.	Kilfinny filly.	Verdict.	Servitude.	Plas Newydd.	The Lossett.
E. Standard	Charlota.	Ladas Maid.	Queen's Mary.	Sewing Machine.	Dark Belle.	Bachelor John.
E. News	Zephyr.	Varnitsa filly.	Queen's Mary (nap).	Sewing Machine.	Plas Newydd or Almond Wine.	Noctifer.
The Times	Charlota.	Sparkling Eyes.	Hillman.	Vaddy; if ab., Adorna.	William Tell.	Hill Country.
D. Mirror	Bruff Bridge.	Kilfinny filly.	Duteous.	Recess.	Repaid.	Attaboy.

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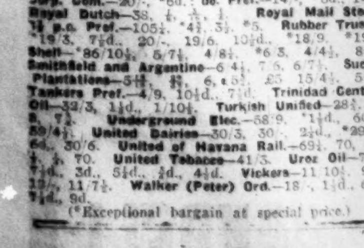

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USING AND WAGES.

WALSH AND THE CORK WORKERS.

meeting of the Cork District Trade a letter was read from the Provisional ent's Postmaster-General, Mr. J. J. in which he said:— followed up the Cork unemploymen promised. There is no use in conceal fact that before anything like a normal is reached a variety of difficulties wil be surmounted, and in process of doing at many people will have to alter their me. That there is "profiteering" is t only by the importer and contractor, some extent also, by the shopkeeper, foregone conclusion, and because of only in Cork, but to a greater or egree elsewhere, the Government will tely set up a Commission to find the itself, and will follow up its informa- h the application of measures. s the duty of the Government, but, in onal view it also has a duty to see scope of the investigation applies to tion of wages, as well as to value re- rom the worker in this levelling up or ocess. In so chronic a case as the one ouncil is faced with, legislation is not a satisfactory remedy. You will need peration of everybody, and once it is that, a reasonable profit, on the one nd a reasonable wage for an honest ork, on the other, are better than no o wage, then we begin to see day- The sooner we face the facts, the sooner to work.

HOUSING.

overnment is anxious to see houses put the working class people of Cork. It ly anxious to give work to the idle. has placed money at the disposal of the both. But there is no use of talking s for workmen at £1,000 apiece. The ludicrous. It is also equally so at How can a workingman, with a falling arket, hope to meet the rent, rates, and a £650 house? He cannot do it, and oner we realise that fact the sooner we about building at a price compatible come. reliably informed that London is quite a place to live in as Dublin or Cork, the neighbourhood of London houses to those contemplated for Cork are rected for a little over £300 each. nuing, Mr. Walsh says:—I sincerely hope e tradesmen of Cork will lose no time in along with their Guild. At any rate, nt unemployment removed, and as y as possible. Through one channel or we have placed immense sums at the l of Cork for this purpose, but if any- master or man—is foolish enough to that, as these moneys are voted by the the resultant value is of secondary im- then there is nothing doing. I am that, with the whole-hearted co-opera- your Council and those others who are o participate, some satisfactory method evolved enabling thousands of men to find work and the State to get value outlay. ouncil criticised the letter severely. Kelleher, T.C., remarked that it was all a conspiracy to bring down wages in the otion that by bringing down wages there be plenty of work. matter was eventually referred to the ve of the Building Guild.

RESENT-DAY MORALS.

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FINANCIAL NEWS AND NOTES.

IRISH STOCK EXCHANGES.

DUBLIN.

MARKETS QUIETLY FIRM, WITH LOCAL SECURITIES RATHER STAGNANT. CONSOLS, BANK STOCK, GREAT NORTHERN, AND GUINNESS ALL HIGHER.

There was very little business on the Stock Exchange, with prices all round merely marking time awaiting the development of events now in the making, and which will do much to shut out concentrated Stock Exchange attention until the result of the British general election is placed beyond doubt. The Funds were fairly busy, with irregular fluctuations. Banks closed quietly firm, with few transactions in Nationals, Munster and Leinsters, and later Bank of Ireland Stock. There was a firm market for Brewery Shares, with Guinness Ord. again better. Marconi Shares were sellers at a lower figure, but closed over the initial price. Home Rails closed without change beyond a further advance in Great Northern Stock. Trams, Tyres, Bakery, Drapery, and Miscellaneous Securities were quite neglected. Manufacturing and Trading Shares were almost idle, with prices occasionally the turn harder.

The Funds were dealt in to a fair extent. Consols rose ⅛ to 57⅝. Irish Land 2¾ p.c. ⅛ to 57⅞, and India 3 p.c. 1/16 to 55 5/16. War Loan 5 p.c. eased 1/16 to 98¼. Ditto 4 p.c. ⅛ to 100⅜, and Conversion 3½ p.c. ⅛ to 74 1/16. Irish Land 3 p.c. was steady at 62¼.

In Banks, Munster and Leinsters rose 1/16 to 6 3/16, while Nationals, for both cash and new account, again realised 18⅛. Bank Stock at the later market rose 1 to 230½.

Breweries were firm. Guinness Ord. rose ½ to 44¼, while the Pref. repeated 11 13/16, and Castlebellingham Ord. 6.

British and Irish Steam Pref. again realised 14s. and City of Dublin Pref. rose ½ to 105½ at the later market.

Marconi Shares were dull, and the Ord. fell 1s. to 45s., but subsequently rallied to 45s. 6d.

Among Home Railways Dublin and South-Eastern Ord. repeated 17. Great Southern Ord. 49½, with a later marking at 49¾, and Midland Great Western 30. Great Western 5 p.c. Pref. realised 100¾, and was the only Pre-Ord. to change hands until the later 'Change when "Wicklow" Pref. repeated 46, and "Cashel" Guaranteed 62. Great Northern rose ½ to 64.

A few Alliance and Dublin Consumers Gas Shares repeated 6½.

As regards Manufacturing Shares, Coats repeated 65s. 9d., and Courtaulds realised 54s., 53s. 10½d. Lever Bros. 7 p.c. Pref. improved 1½d. to 19s. 10½d.

Among Trading, etc., Shares, Burke Ord. repeated 49s., and Dockrell Debs. 6¾. An odd lot of Findlater Pref. rose 6d. to 11s.

Other business done included Dunlop Rubber Ord. at 9s.* for an exceptional lot. Imperial Tobacco at 69s. 3d., 69s. 4½d., and Radio Common at 20s. 6d.

BUSINESS DONE AT ALL SESSIONS.
Transactions for cash marked "c."

Consols ....(57) 57¾		Marconi...(46/-) 45/- 5/6	
5% War Loan(98¼) 98¼		D.S.E. Ord.......(17) 17	
4% War Ln.(100¼) 100⅜		Do. Pref.	*46
Conver. Loan(74⅛) 74 1/16		G.N. Ord. ....(63½) 64	
War Bonds, 1928 105¼		G.S.W. Ord.(49½) 49½ 49¾	
2¾% Land Act(57¾) 57⅞		Do. Guar. ....(62) *62	
3% Land Act.(62¼) 62¼		G.N. (Eng.) Pref...100¾	
India 3% ....(55) 55 5/16		Alliance Gas...(6½) *6½	
Bank of Ireland		Coats ....(65/9) 65/9	
(229½) 230½c		Lever 7½ ...(19/9) 19/10½	
Mun. & Lein...(6⅛) 6 3/16		Burke Ord...(49/-) *49/-	
National...(18⅛) 18⅛c		Dockrell Deb.......(6½) 6¾	
Castlebellingham Brew.		Findlater Pf.(10/6) *11/-	
(6) *6		Courtaulds	
Guinness ....(14¼) 44¼		(54/-) 54/- 53/10½	
Do. Pref. ...(11⅞) 11 13/16		Dunlops .....(8/10½) 9/-	
B. & I. Steam.(14/-) 14/-		Imperial Tobacco	
City Dub. Steam Pref.		(69/-) 69/3 69/4½	
(103) 105½c		Radio Com...(20/9) 20/6	

*Odd lot: b bid, a asked.
(Last business done given in parentheses.)

IRISH BANKS RATE.

Discount	4 p.c.	13th July.
Deposit	1½ p.c.	15th June.

STOCK EXCHANGE SETTLEMENTS.

Mining contango day......		Nov. 13
General contango day......		Nov. 14
Ticket day	Oct. 31	Nov. 15
Account day............	Nov. 2	Nov. 16

BELFAST.

The week opened quietly on the Belfast Exchange, and transactions were few. War Loan declined to 98 3/16. York Street Flax Spinning 6 p.c. Pref. repeated 9¼, Wm. Cowan increased to 4½, Robinson and Cleaver's 4 p.c. Debentures repeated last price, 60, British American Tobacco Ord. improved to 85s. 3d., Dunlops showed no change at 9s., Lever's 7 p.c. Pref. were a few pence better at 20s.

DEALINGS IN LONDON MARKET.

The following dealings among active stocks and shares were "marked" in London yesterday:—

Consols—57⅝, ½, ⅝, ¼, ⅛, 7, ½, ⅝. **3½ p.c. War Loan**—95, 4½, ⅜, ½, ⅝, ¼, ⅜. **4½ p.c. War Loan** (x.d.)—94¾, 5⅛, 4⅞, ⅛, ½. **5 p.c. War Loan** (x.d.)—98¼, ⅛, 3/16, ¼, *101⅛, 98 3/16, ⅛, ¼, ⅜. **4 p.c. War Loan**—100⅜, ⅛, ½, ⅝, ⅞, 6, 5½, ⅝. **Victory Bonds**—88⅞, ⅞, 7/16, ⅝, ⅞. **Conversion Loan**—74 1/16, 1/32, ⅛. **India 7 p.c. Loan**—*109, 11⅛, ⅝, ⅛. **Sudan 5½ p.c.**—107⅝, ⅞. **Port of London 6 p.c.**—106⅛, ⅛, ⅛. **Australia 6 p.c. Stock**—104⅝, ⅝, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛. **South Africa 6 p.c.**—104, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛. **Aerated Bread**—36/-, 9d., 7/-, 6/-, 7/-, *1½d. **African and Eastern**—26/6, 6/-, 4½d. **Allsopp Ord.**—12/3, 12/-, 11/10½, 12/2¼. **Anglo-Dutch Rubber**—32/-, 1/9, *30/10½, 1/6, *1/-, 2/-, 1/9. **Anglo-Egyptian Oil**—25/7½. **Anglo-Persian Oil**—5⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛. **do. 8 p.c. Pref.**—24/3, 3/10½, 9d., 4/1½, 3d., 3/10½, 9d. **Armstrong**—17/7½, 17/-, 6d., 3d. **Assoc. Cement**—16/10½. **Barclays Bank "A"**—*7⅜, 11/16. **do. "B"**—52/4½, 6d., 1½d., *3d., 2/-, *1/9, 2/6, 3d. **British-American Tobacco**—85/-, 6d., 4½d., 3d., 6/-. **British Argentine Meat**—63/3, 4/6. **British Controlled Oil**—8/1½, 8/-, 7/9⅜, 8/-; **do. Pref.**—9/4½, 2½d., 1½d., *8/9, 9/3, 9/-. **British Oil and Cake**—24/9, 5/-. **British Overseas Bank**—5⅛, ⅛, £5 11/-. **Brunner Mond**—35/4½, 3d., 6d., 4/6, 10½d., *5/-, 4/9. **B.S.A.**—8/1½. **Buenos Ayres Great Southern**—83⅛, ⅛, ⅛, 3, 4, 3½, 2¾, 3⅛, *1, 3¾. **Buenos Ayres Western Ord.**—76⅛, 5¾, ⅜, ⅛, *4, 5⅛, 6, 5¾. **Buenos Ayres Pacific**—66⅛, 7⅛, ⅛, *6⅛, 7⅝, 8⅛, ⅜, 8, 7⅞, 6⅞, 8, *7. **Burmah Oil**—5⅛. **Canadian Pacific**—162, 3⅛, ⅛, 3, 2, 3, 2⅛. **Central Argentine Ord.**—72⅛, 1⅛, 2, ⅛, 1⅛, 2⅛, ⅛, 1⅛. **Chinese Engineering and Mining**—63/1¼, 4/8¼, 2/6; **do. Debs.**—98¼, 7⅛. **Coats**—65/6, 6/6, 3d., 5/9. **Cook (St. Paul's) Ord.**—12/10½; **do. Part. Pref.**—19/3, 19/-. **Cory (Wm.)**—45/6. **Courtaulds**—54/1½, 3/6, 4/-, *3d., 3/9, *3/-, 6d., 7½d. **Crosse and Blackwell**—4/9, 10½d., 5/3, 4/9. **Crosses and Winkworth Pref.**—15/-, 14/9, 6d. **Cunard Ord.**—20/3, 4½d., 20/-; **do. Debs.**—106⅛, *⅛, *⅛, ⅛, *6, 7, 6⅞. **Dunlop Ord.**—9/3, 9/-, *8/9, 10½d., 9/1½, 9/-, 3½d.; **do. Debs.**—*107, 6⅞, 7⅛, ⅛. **Empire of India Tea**—45/6, 4/-, 6d. **English Sewing Cotton**—45/-. **Fine Cotton Spinners**—39/3, 8/6. **General Electric Ord.**—18/3, 1½d., 17/10½, *9d.; **do. Debs.**—106⅛, ⅛, *5⅛, 6. **Grand Central Rubber**—18/7½, 19/6, 10½d. **Great Eastern Rail.**—35⅞, ⅞, ⅛, ⅛, *5⅛, ⅛, ⅛. **Great Northern Rail. Def.**—40⅛, 1, 40⅞, ⅛, ⅛, 1. **Great Western Rail.**—103⅞, ⅛, 3, *⅛, 2⅞, *3⅛, ⅛, ⅛, *3. **Great Western 5 p.c. Pref.**—100⅛, ⅛, 1, *100 1/16, *⅛, 100, 1, *100⅛, ⅛, ⅛. **Harrod's Ord.**—29/-, 9d., *4½d., 6d. **Highlands Rubber**—32/6, 2/-. **Hudson's Bay Ord.**—7⅛, ⅛, ⅛. **Imperial Tobacco**—68/9, 10½d., 9/6, 1½d., 9/-, 8/10½, 9/7½, *1½d., 3½d. **Kern River Oil**—19/1½, 8½d., 7½d., 3d., *1½d. **Lever 7 p.c. Pref.**—19/10½, 20/-, 19/7½, *6d., 20/-, 19/3; **do. 8 p.c. Pref.**—19/6, 10½d., *7½d., 20/-; **do. 7 p.c. Debs.**—105, ⅛, 4⅞, 5⅛, ⅛. **Linggi Rubber**—30/-, *29/-, *8/4½, 9/-. **Lipton Ord.**—27/-, *6/-. **Lloyds Bank**—57/3, 6/6, 7/6, 6/9, 10½d. **Lobitos Oil**—5⅛, ⅛. **London, Brighton Def.**—*62⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛, 3. **London County Bank**—17⅛, ⅛, ⅛, 1/16, £17 11/-. **London Joint City Bank**—8⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛. **London North-Western Rail.**—100⅛, 100, ⅛, ⅛, 99⅞, 100⅛. **Lyons (J.) and Co. Ord.**—90/7½, 90/-, 2/2¼; **do. 7 p.c. Pref.**—24/-. **Marconi Ord.**—45/-, 4/9, 5/9, 4/6, 4½d., 5/3, 6/-; **do. Pref.**—45/-; **do. Canada**—10/6, 4½d. **Maypole Def.**—6/5¼, 6d., 7½d., 4½d., *3d. **Mexican Eagle Ord.**—55/-, 4/8¼, 3/9, *6/3, 4/6, 4½d., 5/7½, 4/6; **do. 7 p.c. Pref.**—19/7½, 6d., 4½d., 5½d., 6½d. **Midland Railway Def.**—65⅛, 6, ⅛, 6, ⅛, ⅛. **Mond Nickel**—28/1½. **Nat. Prov. Bank (£4)**—10⅛, ⅛, ⅛, £10 13/3, 10 3/16, ⅛, ⅛. **Nestle 8 p.c. Pref.**—17/9, 4½d., 6d. **Niger 8 p.c. Pref.**—15/1½. **Nobel Indus.**—13/9, 10½d., 14/1½, 13/9; **do. Pref.**—18/6, 7½d., 9d.; **do. Deferred**—4/9⅛. **North-Eastern Consols**—115⅛, 16⅛, ⅛, *16, ⅛. **Parent Def.**—28/-, 7/6. **Phoenix Oil**—25/4½, *3d., 95/-, 10½d., 5/-. **Platt Bros. Ord.**—42/6, *6d., 3/-. **Radio Corp. Com.**—20/-, *6d.; **do. Pref.**—14/-, *3d., 14/-. **Royal Dutch**—38, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛. **Royal Mail Steam 5 p.c. Pref.**—105⅛, *4⅛, 3⅛, *5. **Rubber Trust**—*19/3, 7½d., 20/-, 19/6, 10½d., *18/9, *19/-. **Shell**—*86/10½, 5/7½, 4/8⅛, *6/3, 4/4½, 8½d. **Smithfield and Argentine**—6/4⅛, 7/6, 6/7½. **Sudan Plantations**—5⅛, ⅛, ⅛, 6, 5⅞, £5 15/4½, 5 3/16. **Tankers Pref.**—4/9, 10½d., 7½d. **Trinidad Central Oil**—32/3, 1½d., 1/10½. **Turkish Unified**—28⅛, ⅛, 8, 7⅛. **Underground Elec.**—58/9, *1½d., 60/-, 59/4½. **United Dairies**—30/3, 30/-, 2½d., *29/9, 6d., 30/6. **United of Havana Rail.**—69⅛, 70, 69, ⅛, ⅛, 70. **United Tobacco**—41/3. **Uroz Oil**—7/9, 7½d., 3d., 5½d., ⅛d., 4½d. **Vickers**—11/10½, 9d., 12/-, 11/7½. **Walker (Peter) Ord.**—18/-, 1½d., 6d., 7½d., 9d.

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ELECTION INFLUENCES.

(FROM OUR FINANCIAL CORRESPONDENT AND THE "FINANCIAL NEWS" OF TO-DAY.)

With the General Election looming larger and nearer on the domestic horizon, Stock Markets are more and more tending to become inactive. So far as the position during yesterday's session was concerned, this lack of activity was general, and the Gilt-edged market developed a dullish tendency, with War Loan and Victories easier on the day. An exception to the prevailing tone in this section was provided by Funding Loan, which closed at ⅛ over the Friday night quotation. The influence of politics was, however, confined to the home variety. Colonial securities were unchanged, and Canadas, at 162½, registered no alteration. The outstanding feature, not merely in the Foreign Bond market, but in general, was the demand which sprung up for Brazilian Government Securities. Home Railway Prior Charges were unchanged. Home Rails showed a hardening tendency, especially in the case of the "Heavies" after the liquidation of the carry-over position, and prices in general exhibited an improvement on the day. Except for the improvement in Brazils, the Foreign market was not characterised by any features of special interest. French Bonds were slightly harder, while the Railway Loans were irregular, rises of ¼ in P.L.M. and Nords being off-set by similar declines in Midis and Orleans. Czecho-Slovaks continued good, but closed unchanged at 92, and Norway Sixes were again in demand.

LONDON STOCKS IRREGULAR.

RESTRICTING INFLUENCES.

The Stock Markets yesterday suffered from the general carry-over, Wednesday's holiday, and the coming election, together with the weakness of the foreign currencies, and, consequently, restricted influences were in full force. There was a tendency here and there for prices to droop, this giving an irregular appearance to the markets. The close was an idle one, distinguished only by an easing off in rubber shares, and a firming up of South African issues. The gilt-edged market was quiet, but well maintained considering the situation. The 5 p.c. War Loan fell ⅛ to 98⅜ x.d., and the Conversion Loan at 74½ lost ⅛.

FOREIGN GOVERNMENT SECURITIES were fairly well supported. French Fives rose 1 to 31, and the Fours 1 to 25. German Threes showed no change. Brazilians were very firm. The Funding of 1914 rose 2 to 63, while the Fours at 42, and the Funding of 1908 at 80, both gained a point. Portuguese Threes rose 1 to 27, while Spanish Fours at 78 were 2 points higher. Peruvian Corporation Pref. gained ½ at 28½. Mexicans were dull, the Fives losing a point at 56½, and the 6 p.c. a point at 67½.

HOME RAILS were not active, but there was a disposition to improvement. Great Westerns at 103½ gained 1, and London and North-Western at 100 rose ½. Brighton "A" rose ½ to 62, London and South-Western Def. rose ½ to 32, South Eastern Def. also gained ½ at 31. Midland Def. at 66 and North Eastern Consols at 116, both rose ½. Districts fell ½ to 40½. Great Central Def. ½ at 8, and Caledonian Def.-Ord. ½ to 14½.

In COLONIAL AND FOREIGN RAILS there was a little activity. "Canpacs" and Grand Trunks were unaltered. Argentines were strong, B.A.G.'s rose 1 to 83½, Pacifics 2 to 68, Westerns ½ to 76, and Centrals 1 to 72. Argentine Great Western Ord. gained 1 at 75½. Antofagasta rose ¼ to 72½, and Leopoldina at 33 was a point higher. Mexicans were heavy, falling ½ to 13½, while the 8 p.c. Pref. fell 1 to 39, and the 6 p.c. Pref. 1 to 26.

OIL SHARES QUIET.

LOSSES ON THE ACCOUNT.

Business during the account, now in course of settlement, has been of an extremely quiet character in the Oil Share market, and only a small open position exists, so that the carry-over was arranged without difficulty yesterday, although not quite so easily as on the previous occasion. The general rate for the continuation of bargains was 5½ p.c. to 6½ p.c., exceptions being Shells, which were done at 4 p.c. to 5 p.c.; Royal Dutch and Mexican Eagles, which were arranged on the basis of 3½ to 4½ p.c.; British Controlled Pref., which were done at 4½ to 5½ p.c., and Phœnix, which commanded 3 to 4 p.c. There were "givers" of Shells and Phœnix. Price movements on the fortnight are generally of an unfavourable character. Royal Dutch have moved down 2 points, the price having steadily dwindled owing to the continued absence of demand. Shells and Mexican Eagles are both 1/16 lower on the account, the former having given way on fears of liquidation, following the dissolution of the pool, although it is now believed that these fears will prove to be groundless, and the latter being affected by selling from Paris. Burmahs have fallen 1/16 during the fortnight, owing to the strike at the refinery, now happily settled, and Anglo-Persians have suffered from sales by tired holders. London and Thameshaven Oil Wharves have been bought on rumours of negotiations for absorption, and make up 1/16 higher, and Kern Rivers have improved on the statements made at the meeting. Bear sales have resulted in a decline of 1s. 3d. in Phœnix, and other Rumanians also make up lower. Trinidad issues make an irregular showing, for while Apex and Leaseholds carry over higher, losses are recorded in Centrals and United British. Closing prices:—

1⅛	Agwi Petroleum	1⅛	1¼	
4⅛	Anglo-American	4⅛	4⅜	
22/9	Anglo-Ecuadorian	22/0	23/0	—0/3
1⅜	Anglo-Egyptian "B"	1⅛	1⅜	
24/0	Anglo-Persian 8 p.c.	23/9	24/3	—0/1½
26/0	Do. 9 p.c. 2nd Pref.	25/9	26/3	
5⅛	Do. Ord., issued 5⅛ p.c.	5⅛	5⅛	— ⅛
92	Do. 5 p.c. Deb	91	93	
2⅛	Apex Trinidad	2⅛	2⅛	
⅛	Brit. Borneo Pet. (10/-)	½	⅝	
⅜	British Burmah (8/-)	⅜	⅜	
8/0	British Controlled	7/6	8/0	—0/4½
9/3	Do. Pref.	8/9	9/3	—0/3
5⅛	Burmah	5⅛	5⅛	+ 1/16
26/0	Do. 8 p.c. Pref.	25/9	26/3	
1/3	Caltex	1/3	1/6	
⅛	Dacia Romano	⅛	⅛	
5⅛	Eagle Transport	5⅛	5⅛	
100¼	Do. 7 p.c. Notes	99¼	100¼	
101½	Do. Bearer	101	102	
—	General Pet. Trinidad	4/0	5/0	
4/0	Indo Burmah	4/0	4/3	
19/3	Kern River (10/-)	19/1½	19/7½	+0/1½
5⅛	Lobitos	5⅛	5⅛	
2⅝	Mexican Eagle	2⅝	2⅝	— 1/16
3⅝	Do. Pref.	3⅝	3⅝	— 1/16
19/6	Do. 7 p.c. Pref.	19/3	19/9	
15/0	North Caucasian (10/-)	⅝	¾	— 1/16
—	Oilfields Egypt	1/3	1/9	
—	Peru Syndicate	4/3	4/9	
25/9	Phœnix	25/0	25/6	—0/9
2/3	Premier Oil	2/0	2/6	
12/6	Rumanian Consolidated	12/0	12/6	
38⅛	Royal Dutch	37⅝	38⅛	— ⅛
1/3	Scottish American	0/10½	1/4½	
4⅛	Shell Transport	4⅛	4⅛	
9⅛	Do. 5 p.c. Pref. (£10)	9⅛	9⅛	
23/3	Do. 7 p.c. Pref.	22/3	23/0	
5/6	Spies (10/-)	5/3	5/9	
10/0	Steaua Romana	9/6	10/6	
5/0	Tankers Pref.	4/9	5/3	
1⅛	Trinidad Central	1⅛	1⅛	
1⅛	Trinidad Lease	1⅛	1⅛	
⅛	United Brit. Trinidad	⅛	⅛	+ 1/16
⅛	Ural Caspian	⅛	⅛	
7/9	Uroz Oil	7/1½	7/7½	—0/3
11/4	V.O.C. Holdings	11/0	12/0	
11/6	Do. 7 p.c. Pref.	11/0	12/0	

FINANCIAL PARAGRAPHS.

It is curious that the market has not adjusted the prices of the Pref.-Ord. stocks of the three Southern Railways to the new conditions under the merger scheme, says the *Evening Standard*. There should be no difference in the prices of the Brighton and South Eastern Company's existing Pref.-Ord. stocks, as both are treated alike, yet the latter can be bought at 1 to 1½ p.c. cheaper than the former. And the higher price of the two—91½—is a low one, having regard to the fact that the dividend on the new stock may be regarded as absolutely safe. Our own idea is that a 5 p.c. Pref. stock, such as will be created under the merger scheme, should be worth quite 90, which represents a yield of 5½ p.c. Consequently, £120 worth of this stock, which is the amount to be given to every holder of the existing Six Per Cent. Stock ought to command a price of 96. On this assumption, the London and South Western 4 p.c. Pref. stock now quoted at 60 should be worth 64, as every holder will get £80 of the new stock, carrying interest at 5 p.c. per annum.

Yesterday's carry-over in General Stock Exchange Securities reveals a considerable diminution in the stale bull account, especially in Home Railway and the other more speculative counters. This, of course, makes for generally healthy market conditions, and the fall that has taken place in prices gives a good many of the stocks a much more attractive appearance than was recently the case. Although business for "new time" may not show any great expansion owing to the disturbance of home politics, and the chaotic condition of the foreign exchanges, markets are undoubtedly ripe for an improvement as soon as conditions on the Continent show signs of recovery, and the general election is out of the way.

Warrants for the dividend on the 9 p.c. Cum. Pref. shares of Lipton, Ltd., have been posted.

The coupons and drawn bonds of the Chinese Imperial Government 5 per cent. Tientsin Pukow Railway Supplementary Loan of 1910, due for payment on November 1 next, will be paid on and after that date at the offices of the Hong Kong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, Gracechurch street, London, E.C.

MINING REPORT.

Esperanza, Ltd.—Developments for the week ended October 26:—Descubridora Vein—7th level, winze No. 11 advanced 4ft.; average width of vein, 45ins.; assaying gold 1.12 ozs., silver 2 ozs.

CLOSING PRICES.

The quotations in the following tables were made up at an earlier hour than, and may, therefore, vary to some extent from, those given in our comments.

CONSOLS, ETC.

Consols 57-58	3½% Treas.B. 1925 101⅛-101⅜
War Ln. 3½% 94¾-95¼	Do. Funding 1908 ...... [illegible]
do. 4½% ...... [illegible]	India 3% ...... [illegible]
do. 5% 98⅛-98⅜	Do. 3½% ...... [illegible]
do. 4% 100⅛-100⅜	Do. 4½% ...... [illegible]
Fund'g L'n ...... [illegible]	Do. 7% 111-113
Victory Bds. ...... [illegible]	Local Loans ...... [illegible]
3½% Conv. Ln. 74⅛-74⅜ — ⅛	

COLONIAL GOVERNMENT STOCKS.

Alberta 4½, 1943 [illegible]	Nigeria 6% 112-114
Aust.Com. 5½% 101-102	Q'sland 4, 1920-50 ... [illegible]
do. 6% 107-109	do. 4½, 1920-5 ...... [illegible]
Brit.Col. 4½, 1941 92-94	do. 5% 1920-40 102-3
Canada 4% ...... [illegible]	S. Africa 4% Cns....[illegible]
do. 4½ 1930-5 100-102	do. 6% 107-109
Cape 3½ Cons...... 77-79	S.A'stral'a 4, 1940-60 [illegible]
Ceylon 6% 107-9	do. 5%, 1921-3...99-101*
Natal 3½, '34...... 79-81	do. 5½% 99-101*
N.S.W. 4⅛, 1922-7 ... 94-6	do. 6½% 107-9
do. 5½% 1922-7 101-103	Victoria 4, 1940-60... [illegible]
do. 6½% 1922-32 101-103*	do. 6% 1922-3...101-3*
do. 6% 1930-40.107-9	W. Aust'n 4% '42-62. 94-6
N.Zeal'd 4, '29 94-6	do. 5½% 1930-40, 100-102+1

FOREIGN BONDS.

99½	Argentine, 1886	99	101	
85½	Do. 5 p.c. 1907	84	87	
41½	Brazil 4 p.c., 1889	41	43	+1
79½	Do. Funding, 1908	79	81	+1
61½	Do. 5 p.c. 1914	62	61	+2
92	Chinese 5 p.c., 1896	91	93	
81	Do. 4½ p.c., 1898	81	83	
72½	Do. 5 p.c., 1912	72	74	
71	Egyptian Unified	70	72	
31	French Loan	30	32	+1
23	Do. 4 p.c.	22	24	+1
1⅛	German 3 p.c.	⅞	1⅛*	
20½	Italian Rentes	20	22	
104½	Japanese 4½ p.c. 1st ser.	104	106	
81	Do. 5 p.c. 1905	80	82	
83½	Do. New 5 p.c. 1907	83	84	
55½	Mexican 5 p.c. 1899	55	58	—1
68	Do. 6 p.c. 10-Y. Treas.	66	69	—1
4⅛	Peruvian Corporation	4⅛	4⅝	
28½	Do. Pref.	28	29	+ ½
89	Do. Deb.	88	90	
26½	Portuguese 3 p.c.	26	28	+1
6	Russian 4 p.c.	5	7	
10½	Do. 5 p.c., 1906	9	12	
105	San Paulo 8 p.c.	104	106	
77	Spanish 4 p.c.	75	81	+2
55	Uruguay 3½ p.c.	55	56	

HOME RAILS.

62	Brighton A	61½	62½	+ ½
14¼	Caledonian Def. Ord.	14¼	14¾	— ¼
7¼	Chatham Ord.	7	7½	
8	Great Central Def.	7½	8½	— ½
35½	Do. Eastern	35	36	
65	Do. Northern Pref.	64½	65½	
40½	Do. Def.	40	41	
103	Do. Western	102	104	+1
100	L. and North Western	99½	100½	+ ½
—	Do. 4 p.c. Pref.	89	90*	
32	L. and S.-W. Def.	31½	32½	+ ½
—	L. and S.-W. New Pref.	97	101	
54½	Metropolitan	54	55	
—	Do. 5 p.c. Pref.	93	98	
41	Do. District	40	41	— ½
66	Midland Def.	65½	66½	+ ½
17½	North British Def.	17	17½	
116	North-Eastern Con.	115½	116½	+ ½
—	Do. 4½ p.c. Pref.	98	103	
31	South-Eastern Def.	30½	31½	+ ½
—	Do. 5 p.c. Pref.	98	99	
2⅞	Underground Electric	2⅞	3⅛	
86½	Do. Income Bonds	85	88	
103	Do. 6 p.c. Debs.	102	104	

AMERICAN RAILS.

—	Atchison	117	119	
—	Baltimore	58	60	
—	Chesapeake	82	84	
—	Chicago, Milwaukee	33	35	
17	Erie	16	18	
—	Do. Pref.	25	27	
—	Missouri	11	13	+1
—	New York, Ontario	26	28	
27½	Southern Common	27	29	
—	Do. Pref.	77	79	
—	Southern Pacific	104	107	
—	Union Pacific	162	164	—1

COLONIAL AND FOREIGN RAILS.

72	Antofagasta	71½	73½	+ ½
—	Argentine G.-W. Ord.	74½	76½	+1
—	Bahia Blanca	67	69	
—	Brazil Railway Common	⅞	1⅛	
83½	Buenos Ayres Gt. S.	82½	84½	+1
67½	Buenos Ayres and Pacific	67	69	+2
75½	Buenos Ayres and W.	75	77	+1½
162½	Canadian Pacific	162	164	
71	Central Argentine	71	73	+1
17½	Central Uruguay	17½	19½	
—	Entre Rios	38	40	
—	Do. 6 p.c. Pref.			
—	Grand Trunk	½	1	
—	Do. 4 p.c. Guaranteed	77	79	
—	Do. 1st Pref.	8	10	
—	Do. 2nd Pref.	3	5	
—	Do. 3rd Pref.	1	2	
—	Do. 4 p.c. Perp. Deb.	72	73	
32½	Leopoldina	32	34	+1
14	Mexican Rails	13	14	— ½
39	Do. 8 p.c. Pref.	38	40	—1
27	Do. 6 p.c. Pref.	26	28	—1
—	Mexican Nat. 1st Pref.	3⅛	4⅛	
—	Mexican Nat. 2nd Pref.	1	1½	
111	San Paulo Ord.	110	112	
69	United Havana	68½	70½	

BANKS.

—	Agricultural of Egypt	5⅛	5⅝
—	Anglo-South American	4⅛	4⅝
—	Australasia	13⅛	13⅝
—	Bank New South Wales	33⅛	34⅛
—	Bank New Zealand (£1)	3⅛	3⅝
—	Barclays "A"	7	8
—	British of Foreign Trade	½	⅞
—	British Overseas	5⅛	5⅝
—	Chartered of India	17⅛	18
—	Canadian of Commerce	41	42
—	Hong Kong	117	119
—	Lloyds	56/6	58/6
—	London and Brazilian	17	18
—	London City Midland	8	8½
—	London Westminster	17⅛	18
—	National Prov. (£4½)	10⅛	10⅝
—	Standard South Africa	13⅛	14
—	Union of Australia	13⅛	14⅛

TELEGRAPHS.

23⅛	Anglo-American Def.	23	24	
2⅛	Marconi Ord.	2⅛	2⅜	
2⅛	Do. Pref.	2⅛	2⅜	
1⅛	Do. Marine	1⅛	1⅝	
10/0	Do. Canada	10/3	10/9	—0/3
20/6	Radio Corporation	20/0	20/6	
14/3	Do. Pref.	14/0	14/6	—0/3

MISCELLANEOUS.

—	Aboukir Land	1	1⅛	
36/9	Aerated Bread	35/9	36/9	
18⅛	Alianza Nit.	18	19*	
⅛	Allsopp £1 Shares	⅛	⅝	
51	Do. 5 p.c. Pref.	49	52	
12/1½	Amalgamated Cotton	11/6	12/6	
2⅛	Anglo-Argentine 1st	2⅛	2⅜	
2⅛	Anglo-Chilian Nitrate	2⅛	2⅜	
2⅛	Do. Pref.	2⅛	2⅜	
2⅛	Argentine Northern Land	2⅛	2⅜	
21/0	Do. Southern Land	20/0	21/0	
17/3	Armstrong	16/9	17/9	+0/3
17/3	Associated Cement	16/9	17/3	
17/3	Do. Pref.	16/9	17/3	
—	Bartholomay Pref.	2	3	
92	Bass, Ratcliff Pref.	89	91	
36/0	Borax Con. Def.	35/6	36/6	
—	British Glass	1⅛	1⅝	
2/3	British Portland Cement	2/0	2/3	+0/3
26/0*	B.S.A.	25/6	26/0*	
8/3	British Oil and Cake	8/0	8/6	
25/0	Brunner Mond	34/6	35/6	+1/0
35/0	B.N.B. Land	1⅛	1⅝	
13/0	Brazilian Traction	45	47	+1
45½	Brit. Col. Electric Rail.	64	68	
67	Do. 4½ p.c. Debs.	85	88*	
—	Bryant and May	2⅛	2⅜*	+ 1/16
41/6	Bleachers	2	2⅛	
40/9	Brit.-Amer. Tobacco	84/6	86/6	+0/6
85/9	Bradford Dyers	2⅛	2⅜	
44/0	Calico Printers	20/9	21/3	—0/9
21/3	Cammell Laird	12/0	14/0	
13/0	Cargo Fleet	13/0	17/0	
16/6	Coats	3⅛	3⅝	
65/9	Courtaulds	2⅞	2⅞	+ 1/16
53/6	Court Line	32/3	33/3	+0/6
—	Crosse and Blackwell	4/6	5/0	
5/0	Cunard Ord.	1	1⅛	
—	De La Rue Deb.	100	101	
—	Dunlop Rubber	⅜	½	
9/0	Do. Deb.	106	108	
107	Dorman Long	17/6	18/6	
18/0	English Electric	14/6	15/0	—0/3
—	English Sewing Cotton	2⅛	2⅜	
44/6	Fine Spinners	1⅛	2	
38/9	Forestal Land	1⅛	1⅝	
16/3	Furness Withy	1⅛	1⅝*	
—	General Electric Deb.	105½	107½	
—	Guinness	440	460	+10
442	Do. Pref.	118	120*	
—	Gramophone Ord.	1⅛	1⅝	
—	Harrods	1⅛	1⅝	
29/6	Hoyle Deb.	104	108	+ ½
—	Hudson's Bay Ord.	7⅛	7⅝	— ⅛
7⅛	Imperial Tobacco Ord.	68/9	70/6	+0/6
68/3	J. Brown	17/0	18/0	
18/0	Do. (15/- paid)	11/3	13/0	
12/6	Lipton	1⅛	1⅝	
27/3	Lyons (J.)	4⅛	4⅝	
4⅛	Lautaro Nitrate	7	8	
7½	Lever 7 p.c. Pref.	19/3	20/3	
19/9	Do. Debs.	104	106	
—	Lagunas Nitrate	25/0	27/0	+1/0
26/0	Linen Thread Ord.	1⅛	1⅝*	
—	Liverpool Nitrate	3	3⅛	
3	London Nitrate	25/0	26/0	
1⅜	Mackintosh (J.) Pref.	24/9	25/3	—0/3
—	Maypole Def.	1⅛	1⅝	
6/6	Mond Nickel Pref.	1⅛	1⅝*	
—	Mexican Trams	1⅛	1⅝	
70	Do. Bonds	21	24	
—	Do. L. and P. Bonds	64	67	
15/3	Niger Pref.	15/0	16/0	
14/6	Nobel Ord.	⅝	¾	
18/6	Do. Pref.	⅞	1	
—	Do. Def.	⅞	1	
1⅛	Parent Tyre Def.	1⅛	1⅝	
14/0	Do. Ord.	½	¾	
24/6	Pease and Partners	1⅛	1⅝	
—	P. and O. Def.	300	320	
10/6	Pekin Syndicate	⅛	⅜	
—	Platt Bros. Ord.	42/6	43/6	
—	Royal Mail Ord.	85	90	
19/6	Rio Negro Lands	1⅛	1⅝	
24/0	Rolls Royce	1⅛	1⅝	
25/0	Rosario Nitrate	25/0	25/0	
22/0	Salt Union	1⅛	1⅝	
19/0	South Durham Steel	¾	1	
102	San Paulo Tram Deb.	102	105	
—	South African Breweries	1⅛	1⅝	
113	Shawinigan Water Bonds	110	113	
1⅛	Santa Rita Nitrate	⅞	1⅛	
2⅛	Santiago Nitrate	2⅛	2⅜	
25/0	Salar del Carmen	2⅛	2⅜	
24/6	Siemens	24/6	25/6	
—	Smithfield Arg. Meat	2⅛	2⅜	
12/0	Tarapaca Nitrate	11/0	13/0	
—	United Cold Storage	1⅛	1⅝	
—	United Alkali	1⅛	1⅝	
—	United Steel	9/9	10/6	+0/3
11/9	Vickers Ord.	11/6	12/0	
16/3	Van Den Berghs	1⅛	1⅝	
—	Do. Pref.	4⅛	5⅛*	
—	Weardale C.P.U.	1⅛	1⅝*	

TEA SHARES.

Anglo-Ceylon Estates, 47/-+6d.; Con. T. and L. Ord., 15¼+10/6; Darjeeling, 34/4½-1½d.; Dooars, 33/3+3d.; E. I. and Ceylon, 25/3+2/-; East Produce 46/6+1/-; Jorehaut, 47/9+1/-; Singlo Ord., 40/4½+4½d.

* Ex div.

PROVINCIAL EXCHANGES.

MANCHESTER.—Textiles fairly steady, but Sewing Cottons and Bleachers ease. Bleachers, 40/41/-; Calicos, 21/-21/6; Pref., 16/3-16/6; Dyers, 44/-44/6; Pref., 19/6-19/9; Cottons, 44/-45/-; Pref., 19/9-20/-; Spinners, 38/6-39/-; Pref., 19/6-20/-; Slubbers, 8/6-8/9; Coats, 65/6-66/-; Ship Canal, 5⅛-⅛; Pref., 6⅛-¼; Velvets, 27/6-27/9.

BIRMINGHAM.—More business, but few features. Rovers turn lower. Components drooping. Triumphs weak. Humbers look better. Parents Def. backed. Dunlops firm. Austins, 9/6; Belsize, 4/6; Components, 9/6; S.T.D., 7/10½; Enfields, 30/3; Humbers, 22/-; Napiers, 6/9; Rolls, 24/6; Rovers, 21/1½; Singers, 22/9; Swifts, 13/3; Triumph, 38/-; Dunlops, 9/-; Parent Def., 27/-; Harper Bean, 1/3; Standards, 32/-; New Hudsons, 16/6.

LONDON MINING MARKET STEADY.

MORE RISES THAN FALLS IN "KAFFIRS."

Extreme quietness marked the opening of the "House" yesterday. Public inquiries were on a very small scale, and professionals were by no means enthusiastic. These conditions are easily explained by the uncertainty of the political outlook, the approach of a holiday—on November 1st the Stock Exchange will be closed as usual—and the vagaries of foreign exchanges. As regards the Mining market, the last mentioned consideration was an important factor, especially in the "Kaffir" section. In the early hours the Paris exchange was adverse, and this induced dulness but about midday the value of the franc improved, and this led to a little bidding for shares of international counters. Later, however, the Paris rate fell off again, and but for the fact that the Cape came to the rescue it is quite possible the market would have relapsed. There were, indeed, signs of weakness until Johannesburg sent buying orders for some of its specialities, and these were, no doubt, based on the excellent progress which the industry is making. Buying of such shares as Crown Mines, City Deep, the Randfonteins, Geduld, Village Deep, and Durban Deep imparted a better tone to the section as a whole, and at the close there were considerably more rises than falls. "C.M.S." were something of a feature on the statements made at the meeting. The Chairman pointed out that under the proposed sale of the company's South African interests to the Anglo-American Corporation the company would be freed from the liabilities in connection with those interests, and would be in a position to undertake fresh business. Also, it would probably be able to start dividend distributions at an earlier date than under existing conditions. The references to the company's holdings outside Africa created a good impression. With regard to Durban Deep, the Cape, no doubt, recognises that the company is making steady progress, and this is borne out by the September quarterly report. Interest in the Rhodesian department naturally centered upon Chartered, in view of the reports to hand regarding the progress of the referendum. Chartered were freely offered and fell away sharply, and there was considerable profit-taking in Cam and Motor. Other shares in this department sought lower levels. Diamonds were undecided, partly on Paris advices, but De Beers Pref. moved up, and Consolidated Diamond Mines strengthened. With regard to the proposed new issue of Def. shares by the former company, various rumours were in circulation, but as sanction for the issue will not be obtained for some time such stories received but little attention. A further rise of nearly £4 to £184 11s. 3d. per ton in the price of the metal exercised but little influence on the Tin share market. British Platinum were a strong spot in the Miscellaneous section, but Esperanza were unaffected by the news of good developments on the Descubridora vein in the No. 11 Winze, at the 7th level. Closing prices:—

SOUTH AFRICAN.

M.U.			
1 9/16	Anglo-Amer. Corp.	1 9/16-1¾	
16/9	Anglo-French.........	16/6-17/6	
2⅜	Brakpan............	2⅜-2 7/16	+ 1/16
9⅛	Cent. Mining (£8)	8⅞-9⅛	— ⅛
2 9/16	City Deep	2½-2⅝	+ 1/16
1⅛	Con. Goldfields.........	1-1⅛	
17/0	Cons. Langlaagte...	16/9-17/3	
12/3	Cons. Main Reef.....	12/3-12/9	+0/6
18/3	Cons. Selec. (10/-)...	18/0-19/0	+1/0
3⅛	Crown Mines (10/0)	3⅛-3 3/16	+ 1/16
½	E. Rand Mining......	½-⅝	
10/6	E. Rand Prop.....10/4½	-10/10½	—/1½
4 1/16	Geduld	4-4⅛	+ 1/16
11/6	Gen. Mining.........	11/3-11/9	+0/3
5⅛	Government Areas	5 1/16-5 3/16	
30/0	Johan'burg Invest.	30/0-30/6	—/1½
8/3	Kleinfontein.........	7/6-8/0	
4/3	Knight Central ...	4/0-4/6	
17/0	Knight's	17/0-18/0	
23/9	Langlaagte Estate	22/6-23/6	—0/6
3⅛	Meyer & Charlton	3⅛-3⅜	
4 5/16	M'derfontein (10/-)	4¼-4⅜	
1 5/16	Modder B (5/-)......	1¼-1⅜	— 1/16
2 11/16	Modder Deep (5/-)	2⅝-2¾	— 1/16
8/6	Modder East	8/6-8/9	
1½	New State Areas......	1 7/16-1 9/16	
17/6	Nourse Mines	17/6-17/9	
3⅛	Rand Mines (5/-)...	3 1/16-3 3/16	
23/0	Randfontein.......	23/0-23/6	+0/3
17/0	do. Central	17/0-17/6	+0/3
1⅝	Rob'son Dp.(A 1/-).	1⅝-1¾	+ 1/16
15/3	Robinson Dp.(B) ...	15/3-15/9	+0/3
16/0	Rose Deep............	15/3-15/9	
⅝	S.A. Gold Trust......	⅝-11/16	
2⅝	Springs Mines......	2⅝-2¾	
2⅛	Trans. and Del. B.	2⅛-2 3/16	
15/0	Trans.Con.L. (15/0)	14/6-15/6	—0/6
22/0	Union Corp. (12/6)	21/6-22/6	
13/6	Van Ryn............	13/3-13/9	
3⅛	Van Ryn Deep	3 1/16-3 3/16	
20/3	Vereeniging	20/0-21/0	
16/6	Village Deep	16/6-17/0	+0/3
1	Witersrand Deep...	1-1 1/16	

RUSSIAN.

10/9	RussoAsiat.Cons...	10/6-11/0	—0/3
4/1	Russian Mining ...	⅛-¼	
4/3	Siberian Props. ...	¼-5/16	
1/16	Spassky	1/16-⅛	— 1/16

RHODESIAN.

M.U.			
8/3	Bechuanaland Ex.	8/0-8/6	
23/0	Cam. and Motor ...	23/9-24/3	—0/9
13/3	Charter'd B.S.A....	12/6-12/9	—1/0
5/9	Falcon	5/3-5/9	
10/6	Gaika Gold	10/3-10/9	
11/9	Globe & Phœnix(5/)	11/6-12/0	
6/4	Gold F. Rho. (10/-)	6/3-6/9	
1⅛	Lonely Reef	1⅛-1 3/16	
3	Rezende	3-3¼	
6/9	R. BrokenHill (5/-)	6/3-6/9	—0/3
7/0	Selukwe............	6/9-7/3	
1 3/16	Shamva Mines ...	1⅛-1¼	
15/0	Tanganyika.........	14/6-15/0	—0/3
17/3	Vic. Falls Ord. ...	19/0-20/0	
25/0	do. Pref.	24/6-25/6	
⅝	Wankie Col. (10/-)	11/6-12/6	
10/3	Zambesia Explor.	9/9-10/3	—0/3
—	Zambesia Min. D.	¾-1	

DIAMOND.

12⅝	De Beers (£2½) ...	12⅝-12⅞	— ⅛
12⅝	do. Pref............	12⅝-12⅞	+ ⅛
3 5/16	Jagersfontein......	3¼-3⅜	
10/0	N. Val River	⅜-½	
6	Premier Def. (2/6)	5⅞-6⅛	
6⅝	do. Pref. (5/-)......	6⅝-6⅞	

AUSTRALIAN.

1⅛	Amal. Zinc	1 1/16-1 3/16	
1 9/16	Brit. Broken Hill	1½-1⅝	
27/6	Broken Hill Prop.	1⅜-1½	— 1/16
2 3/16	B. Hill Sth. (New)	2⅛-2¼	
8/0	B. Hill, Block 10...	¼-⅜	
4/9	Great Boulder (2/-)	4/6-5/0	
16/9	Ivanhoe............	¾-⅞	
10/0	Lake View (10/0) ...	9/9-10/9	
2 3/16	North Broken Hill	2⅛-2¼	
⅝	Sulphide Ord.	13/3-14/3	
12/6	Zinc Ord. (10/-)......	12/3-13/3	+0/3
1⅞	do. Pref.	1⅞-2	

WEST AFRICAN.

21/3	Akim............	20/6-21/6	
13/3	Ashanti Gold (4/-)	13/0-13/6	
10/6	Fanti Cons. (8/-)...	10/3-10/9	
17/0	Gold Coast Amal.	16/9-17/3	
9/0	Obuassi	8/6-9/6	
6/3	Taquah Explor. ...	6/0-7/0	

TIN.

M.U.			
1⅞	Anglo-Con. (10/-)...	14/0-15/0	+0/6
2⅝	Aramayo Francke	2 11/16-2¾	
3/0	East Pool (5/-)......	2/10½-3/4½	
1⅞	Gopeng	1⅞-2	
—	Kinta	1½-1⅝	
1⅜	Kramat Pulai	1 5/16-1 7/16	+ 1/16
1⅛	Malayan T.D.......	1 1/16-1 3/16	+ 1/16
¾	Naraguta	¾-13/16	
2/0	Nigerian Tin (5/-)	1/9-2/3	
—	Pahang (5/-).........	6/3-7/3	
—	Rambutan	1-1⅛	
1 5/16	Renong	1¼-1⅜	
7/0	Rapp (4/-)Shares...	7/3-7/9	+0/3
2 5/16	Siamese............	2¼-2⅜	
4/3	South Bukeru	4/0-5/0	
1⅝	Tronoh	1⅝-1¾	

COPPER.

⅝	Arizona (5/-).........	⅝-¾	
⅜	Mount Elliott (£5)	⅜-7/16	+ 1/16
11/6	Mount Morgan ...	11/0-12/0	—/4½
20/0	Mount Lyell.........	19/6-20/6	
1 9/16	Namaqua	1½-1⅝	
14/0	New Guinea	13/0-14/0	
27	Rio Tinto (£5)......	26¾-27¼	

MISCELLANEOUS.

10/3	Brit. Platinum......	10/6-11/6	+0/9
6/9	Burma Corp..........	6/6-7/0	
4/0	Camp Bird Ord.......	3/6-4/0	
5/0	Chemical and Met.	¼-⅜	
7/9	Colombian Mining	7/3-7/9	
11/3	Esperanza	11/0-11/6	
10/0	Kirkland Lake ...	9/6-10/6	
4⅝	Mexico Mines	4 9/16-4 11/16	— 1/16
5½	Minerals Separ't'n	5½-6	
3/6	Min. Corp. of Can...	3/3-3/9	
11/9	Mysore (10/-)	11/0-12/0	
2/6	Nat.-Min. (10/-pd.)...	2/6-3/0	
25/0	New Chuquitambo	1⅝-1¾	
14/6	Ooregum	14/6-15/6	
20/0	Oroville	1⅞-1 15/16	
18/6	St. John Del Rey ...	18/3-19/3	
6/9	Santa Gertrudis ...	6/6-7/0	
1⅝	Waihi Gold	1 9/16-1 11/16	

*Ex Dividend. †Ex Rights.

BUSINESS DONE.

Anglo-American Corp.—27/1½, 6/3, 7/3, 1½d. **Brakpan**—*55/-, 8/1½, *9/4½, 8/9, 3d. **British South Africa**—13/-, 1½d., 12/9, 10½d., 7½d., 13/3, 4½d., 12/6, *6¾d., 13/-. **Broken Hill Prop.**—26/3, 7/1½. **Burma Corp.**—6 11/16, 9, ¾, 11/16, ⅝. **City Deep**—56/6, 8/1½. **Colombian Mining**—7/6. **Cons. Diamond Mines S.W. Africa**—22/-, 3d., 10½d., 4½d. **Consol. Gold Fields**—19/4½, 19/-, *18/1½, 10½d., 19/3. **Consol. Main Reef**—12/6¾, 12/-, 6d., 7½d. **Consol. Mines Selection**—17/9, 18/1½, 4½d., 18/-. **Crown Mines**—65/3¾, 7½d., 5/-, 4/4½, *6/3, 4/0½, 9d. **East Rand Prop.**—10/4½, *1½d., 6d., 7½d., 10/-, 6d. **Fanti Consols**—10/9⅛, 10½d., 6d., *10/-, 7½d., 6d. **Geduld**—63/1½, *1/3, 2/-, 6d., *3/9, 2/9¼. **General Mining**—11/9, 1½d., 11/-, 2½d., 3d. **Government Areas**—5⅛, ⅛, 17-64, ⅛, 19-64, 5/16. **Johannesburg Invest.**—30/2¼, 30/-, 30/9, 30/3, 29/9. **Langlaagte**—23/-, 4/3, 4/-. **Lydenburg Deep Level**—1/6, 5d., 7d. **Modderfontein B (5/- shares)**—34/4½, 9d., 3/1½, 4/3, *5/-, 4/9. **Modderfontein Deep (5/- shares)**—48/5¼, 7/6, *2/6, 8/9. **Modderfontein East**—8/10½, 4½d., 9d. **Mount Lyell**—19/9. **New Kleinfontein**—7/9, *3d., 7½d. **New Modderfontein**—65/-, 6d., 7½d., 4/8¼, *6/3, 3/6, 6/3. **New State Areas**—35/-, 4/4½, *3/9, 4/7½. **Nourse**—17/1½. **Rand Mines**—61/6¼, 10½d., 60/-, 2/10½, 3d., 60/-. **Randfontein Central**—15/9, 15/6, 16/10½, *16/-, 17/-, 16/9½. **Rand-fontein Estates**—23/7½, *6d., 3/-, 2/9. **Robinson Deep A**—35/-, *3/0, 4/4½, 3/9, 5/7½, 4/9; **do. B**—15/4½, 14/9, 15/3, 1½d., 14/9. **Rose Deep**—15/-. **Russo-Asiatic**—11/6, 5½d., 3d., 11/-, 10/10½, 11/-, 4½d., 10/8¼, 7½d., 6¾d. **Selukwe Gold**—7/-, *6/7½. **Springs**—51/3, 2/2½, 1/3. **Tanganyika**—14/6, 3d. **Union Corporation**—22/3, 4½d., 1½d., 2/-, 6d., *1/-, 2/3, 4½d. **Van Ryn**—13/7½. **Van Ryn Deep**—74/4½, 8½d., *5/7½, 5/7½. **Village Deep**—16/10½, 15/3, *13/-, 17/-, 16/4½, *19/-, 15/3, 16/6. **Zinc Corp.**—12/7½, 6d., 3d., 7½d., 9d.
(*Exceptional amount at special price.)

RUBBER SHARES STEADY.

The Rubber Share Market was quiet, but prices were maintained, and the changes, though small, were usually favourable. Manchester North Borneo rose 1s. 3d. to 16s. 3d., Telogoredjo also rose 1s. 3d. to 33s. 9d. Anglo Dutch at 31s. 9d., Malayalam at 20s. 6d., and Tali Ayer at 20s. 6d. each gained 9d. Sialang at 21s. 10½d. rose 7½d., as did Straits Rubber at 19s. 7½d. Lok Kawi fell 1s. 3d. to 11s. 3d., and Pilmoor 1s. 3d. to 18s. 9d. The price of raw rubber was 1s. per lb. Closing quotations:—

M.U.			
31/3	Anglo-Dutch.........	31/9	— /9
2/7½	Anglo-Java	2/7½	
19/4½	Anglo-Malay	19/4½	+ /4½
4/7½	Bertam Cons.	4/7½	+ /1½
2/9	Bukit Mertajam	2/7½	
1/6	Bukit Sembawang	1/3¼	— /1½
[illegible]	Damansara	14/9	
19/3	Grand Central	19/10½	
1⅛	Highlands	19/10½	
2/9	Kamuning	2/9	— /1½
4/0	Kepong	4/0	
1⅛	Kuala Lumpur	21/0	
1⅛	Labu	28/10½	
1⅛	Linggi	30/0	
3/9	London-Asiatic	3/7½	
1⅛	Malacca	36/3	
1	Malayalam	21/6	+ /9
3/1½	Merliman	3/1½	
15/0	Moopoly Valley	15/0	
2/6	Port Dickson	2/3	
19/7½	Rubber Trust	19/9	+ /6
[illegible]	Seafield	14/4½	
1⅛	Senadyan	28/4½	
1⅛	Sialang	21/10½	+ /7½
19/6	Straits Rub.	19/7½	+ /7½
19/9	Tali Ayer	20/6	+ /9
1⅛	Tandjong	28/1½	
3/3	Un. Serdang	3/1½	
2⅛	United Sua Betong	33/9	
14/0	Vallambrosa	1/4½	

Anglo-Sum. ...	44/4½		N. Hummock..	16/0	
Bah Lias......	28/3	+1/1½	P.F.K.(C'yl'n)	16/3	
Batu Tiga......	28/3	+1/1½	Pataling.........	21/1½	
B.N.B.E. Trst	8/4½		Pilmoor.........	18/9	— 1/3
Brieh.........	1/9		Rub.E.Johore.	25/0	
Bukit Cloh ...	4/3½		Sapong	17/3	
Bukit Rajah	18/4½		Sapumalk'de..	18/6	
Castlefield......	4/3		Selangor	5/0	
Cheviot	2/8¼	+/1½	SerdangC'nt'l.	16/1½	
Cicely	3/0	+ /3	Soember Ajoe.	1/6	
Eastern Trst...	15/0	+ /6	Strathmore ...	11/7½	
Gen. Ceylon ...	18/9		Sumatra Con.	18/9	
Glenbervie ...	17/7½		Sungei Buaya.	18/9	
Golden Hope	18/3		Sungei Choh...	17/6	
Java Amal. ...	17/6		Sungei Karar.	4/0	
Kapar Para...	37/9		Sungei Kr Pf.	32/6	
Kasintoe	13/6		Taiping	1/7½	
Kepitigalla ...	8/4½		Tebrau	23/0	+/7½
Kombok.........	2/7½		Telogoredjo ...	33/9	+ 1/3
Langkat Sum	17/6		Tempeh	0/11	
Ledbury	28/3		Un. Temiang...	2/9	—/1½
Manch'terNB.	16/3	+ 1/3	Yam Seng......	2/8	
Membakut	8/9				

DIVIDENDS AND REPORTS.

WM. COWAN, LTD., BELFAST.—Dividend of 6/- per share (tax free) on Ordinary Shares.

BARRANQUILLA RAILWAY AND PIER CO.—Dividend of 5 per cent., same as last year.

TRUST AND AGENCY OF AUSTRALASIA.—Interim dividend of 6d. per share, tax free, on Ord.

UNITED SUA BETONG RUBBER ESTATES.—Interim dividend of 5 per cent., actual.

ROYAL BANK OF AUSTRALIA.—Dividend at rate of 10 per cent. per annum.

FROME UNITED BREWERIES.—Further dividend on Ord. of 10 per cent., less tax.

HYDERABAD (DECCAN) CO.—Interim dividend on account of the year ending 31st December of 1/6 per share, less tax.

SAMUEL MARSDEN AND SONS, MANCHESTER.—Dividend of 5 per cent., actual, for eleven months ending 31st July; forward, £24,873.

GLENBURN HYDROPATHIC.—Dividend of 6 per cent., less tax, on the Pref. on account of arrears to August 31.

SOUTH INDIAN RAILWAY.—Final dividend of 2¼ per cent., making a total payment for half-year of 4½ per cent., less tax.

INTERNATIONAL FINANCIAL SOCIETY.—The directors regret that they are unable to recommend a dividend, and propose that the balance of £39,759 be carried forward.

NATIONAL BANK OF SOUTH AFRICA.—In pursuance of the policy explained to the shareholders at the annual general meeting on June 30 last, the directors have decided not to declare an interim dividend for the half-year to September 30, 1922.

BENGAL NAGPUR RAILWAY CO.—Holders of Debenture Bonds to bearer of this company, amounting to £400,000, and falling due on the 5th November 1922, are notified that the directors, with the sanction of the Secretary of State in Council of India, are prepared to renew such Debentures at £98 (2 per cent. discount) for a further period of four years, with interest at the rate of 4½ per cent. per annum.

TRAFFICS.

The earnings of the Canadian Pacific Railway for September amounted to 18,149,538 dollars and the expenses to 13,563,596 dollars. The net profits were 4,585,932 dollars, representing an increase of 356,593 dollars, and a decrease in the gross profits of 1,345,233 dollars as compared with the corresponding month last year.

Great Southern of Spain Railway—Week to Oct. 21, Ps.91,049; increase, Ps.5,736. Barsi Light Railway—Period ended Oct. 7, Rs.17,000; increase, Rs.700. Suez Canal—Oct. 20 to 26, Fr.2,880,000.

Dublin and South-Eastern Railway.—Week ended 27th October, 1922:—Passengers, parcels, mails, etc., £6,561; merchandise and live stock, £3,792. Total for week, £10,353. Aggregate of 43 weeks to date, £410,175.

INDUSTRIALS IDLE.

RISE IN LISTERS.

NEW BUSINESS SMALL.

Apart from the arrangements in connection with the general carry-over which was in progress yesterday, very little of interest transpired in the Miscellaneous and Industrial markets. The general rate for the continuation of bargains ruled from 5 to 6 per cent. Dealings for the new account were on a small scale, the fact that the House will be closed to-morrow, as is usual on November 1, exercising a restrictive influence. The outstanding movement occurred in Listers, which rose rather sharply as a result, it was reported, of buying for control. It will be recalled that Listers and Co., Ltd., denied the previous rumours concerning absorption and control which were current a short time back. After changing hands at up to 29s. 6d., Listers finished 1s. 6d. higher on the day at 29s. Joshua Hoyles rose 1/16 to 1⅛, and Courtaulds rallied to 54s. Fine Spinners put on 3d. to 39s. Among Stores descriptions, Whiteleys gained a few pence at 41s. 9d. Otherwise prices in this section showed scarcely any quotable alteration. Caterers kept up. A.B.C. improved to 37s., while H. Lyons still ruled at 4 1/16, and Liptons at 27s. 3d. Maypole Deferred lost the turn in the Foodstuff list at 6s. 6d., and Van Den Berghs fell 1/16 to ⅞. Liebigs registered an advance of ⅜ at 14¼. Renewed strength was displayed by Booths Distillery in the Brewery group, and the shares finished 1s. higher on the day at 17s. 6d. Walker Cains were also in demand, and put on 1s. to 18s. 6d., while there were a few inquiries for the Debentures. Guinness rose 10 to 450, and Meux Prefs. gained ½ at 7. Among Hotels, Carltons improved to ⅞, though Holborn and Frascati Prefs. receded to 7½. Bank Shares showed no decided tendency, for while Bank of British West Africas lost ⅛ at 4⅛, and Barclays B 3d. at 52s., London Joint City and Midlands rallied to 8⅛. In the Insurance list, Commercials rose ⅛ to 31⅛ ex dividend, and Motor Unions ⅛ to 6¼ ex dividend, but Royals lost ¼ at 21, and Prudentials ⅛ at 12¼.

Iron and Steels generally maintained a firm appearance. Vickers continued in demand, and finished 6d. better at 12s. 3d., while the Tax-free Prefs. rose to 16s. 3d. Armstrongs put on 6d. to 17s. 6d. and Babcock and Wilcox 9d. to 65s. ex div. Pease and Partners recovered to 24s. 6d., and Lambert Bros. further improved to 49s. 3d. Exceptionally, Ebbw Vales receded to 12s. 9d. The only quotable alteration in the Shipping department was a fall of 6d. in Furness Withys to 31s. ex div. Fresh strength was exhibited by Brunner Monds, which rose 9d. to 35s. 3d. The market is going for an increase of 2 p.c. in the dividend. Salt Unions improved to 19s. 5d., and Borax Def. held their ground at 36s. 3d. Magadis further advanced to 7s. 6d. Dunlops eased to 8s. 10½d. and the "A" Prefs. to 16s. 6d., though the Debs. were a good market at 107. Cements lost the turn at 17s., but the Prefs. hardened to 17s. 4½d. British Portlands kept at 25s. British Aluminiums fell 6d. to 17s. 3d., though British Glass improved to 2s., and Bryant and Mays gained 1/16 at 2 1/16 ex div. Oil Cakes still ruled at 25s., and both the Lever Prefs. at 19s. 9d. United Dairies strengthened to 30s. 3d., and the Prefs. to £1. Among Motors Rolls-Royce moved up to 1 1/16, but Rovers shed a few pence to 21s. 3d. ex div. Helped by a recovery in the milreis, Brazilian Tractions recovered to 46 among Canadian-Americans. Marconis kept steady at 2 7/16 among Wireless concerns; the Prefs. still ruled at 2¼ and Marines at 1⅜. Canadians, however, eased to 10s. 6d. On the results for the past year, Santiagos improved to 2 7/16 in the Nitrate group, or ⅛ higher on balance.

Tobaccos displayed firmness. B.A.T.'s rallied to 85s. 6d. and Imperials put on 6d. to 69s. 6d., while the "B" Prefs. of the latter rose to 23s. United Tobacco Souths Ord. and Def. both strengthened to 41s. In the Land section Pahangs closed 9d. higher at 7s. 6d. and Sudan Plantations gained 1/16 at 5¼. On the other hand, Bays slipped back to 7⅜ and British North Borneos to 11s. 9d. Among recent issues Platt Bros. further receded to 42s. 9d., business taking place at 42s. 6d. *Daily Mail* Trust Debs. fluctuated a good deal, and, after changing hands at up to 6½ prem., closed unchanged on balance at 5½ prem.

INSURANCE SHARES.

BUSINESS DONE IN LIVERPOOL.—Atlas, £17 6/-; Employers' Liability, 79/6, 80/-; General Accident (x.d.), 135/9; North British and Mercantile, 12 13/16, 13⅛; Northern Assurance (x.d.), 14⅛; Phœnix Pelican (x.d.), 10⅛; Phœnix Norwich Union (x.d.), 10⅛; Royal Insurance, 21 1/16; Scottish Union and National Insurance, 7⅞.

872 TICKETS IN AN HOUR.

HIGH SPEED BOOKING ON LONDON UNDERGROUND.

Interesting tests have been carried out in the speed of booking tickets on the London Underground and some wonderful figures were recorded.

At Piccadilly Circus Station, between 5.30 and 6.30 at night, the booking clerk issued by hand 809 tickets.

During the test 341 passengers required change as follows:—9 required ½d. change, 3 required change for 3d., 157 for 6d., 130 for 1s., 85 for 2s., 51 for 2s. 6d., and 6 for 10s.

At Oxford Circus, by means of a new electrically-operated booking machine, the clerk in charge issued during the same hour 872 tickets.

He was delayed in answering four inquiries for season tickets and in supplying from an emergency rack six ordinary tickets which the machine could not supply.

EVIDENCE.

"How do you know this woman was defendant's wife?" a witness was asked at a London County Court.

Witness—Because she had two black eyes.

The Commissioner of Metropolitan Police states swindlers in Spain are again victimising persons in England by writing letters to them containing the story of a relative being detained in a Spanish prison for a political cause, or of a person detained for bankruptcy, and asking for money.

PRODUCE AND FOOD.

CATTLE.

BIRKENHEAD, Monday.—Supplies—2,100 cattle and 2,000 lambs. There was a larger supply of cattle on offer to-day; very poor demand was experienced, and prices were lower for all classes. Good bullocks and heifers made from 8½d. to 9½d. per lb. Secondary cattle were moved with difficulty at proportionately lower prices, a large number remaining unsold. Lambs were a slow trade at 1/3 to 1/5 for best quality. Birkenhead dead meat—Good supplies of dressed beef and trade fair, best sides making 8d. to 8½d. (exceptional), and secondary descriptions from 7d. to 7½d. per lb.

NEWCASTLE, Monday.—First quality 13/- per stone, other 8/- to 9/-, cows 8/- to 9/-, porkers 15/- to 17/-, bacon 13/- to 14/-, sows 10/9 to 11/6, lambs 1/2 to 1/5 per lb., young sheep 1/2 to 1/4, ewes 9d. to 1/-.

HULL, Monday.—Supplies slightly better; trade in beef slow. Best beef 13/-, seconds 12/-, cows £9; young sheep 1/4, ewes 10d., small pork 16/-, large 14/-. Numbers—330 fat beasts, 128 stores; 1,150 fat sheep, 680 stores; 290 pigs.

GLASGOW, Monday.—Messrs. Hegarty and Kelly report supplies of Irish fat cattle at Merklands to-day (Monday) similar to last week. Top quality bullocks made fully last week's quotations; secondary made a shade less money.—(Advt.)

GRAIN.

FLOATING GRAIN CARGOES.—BALTIC, Monday. WHEAT—Cargo market firm, and sellers reserved. A steamer, 5,500 tons Rosafe, 62½lbs., January-February, sold 47/9; No. 1 Northern Manitoba, November-December, quoted 50/9; Rosafe, 63lbs., afloat, 52/-. Parcels firmer, and in fair demand. No. 1 Northern Manitoba, October-November, sold 50/- to 50/3; November-December, 49/3; No. 2 hard winter, October, 51/6; Rosafe, 63¼lbs., October-November, sellers 50/9 480lbs. MAIZE—Cargoes slow of sale. Plate, steamers afloat, sellers 38/-; October-November, 36/3; November-December, 36/-. Parcels steadier. Plate, October-November and November-December, sold 35/3; No. 2 mixed American, November 15th, sellers 36/6 480lbs. BARLEY quiet, unaltered, both with regard to cargoes and parcels. OATS steady. Plate, f.a.q., December-January, sellers 23/-; No. 2 white clipped American, 38lbs., October, 27/6; 36lbs. ditto, 27/-; No. 2 Canadian ....., October, 33/6 per 320lbs.

MARK LANE, Monday.—ENGLISH WHEAT steadier. Whites, delivered up, 45/6 to 48/6; reds, 45/6 to 48/6 per 504lbs. Foreign grades 6d. dearer. No. 1 Northern Manitoba, 56/- ex ship; No. 2 hard winter 55/6 ex ship; Rosafe, 63½lbs., 55/6 ex ship. FLOUR steady; fair demand. Canadian exports patents, 39/- to 44/- ex store; Minneapolis first patents, 43/6 to 44/- ex store; London standard straight run, 41/6 ex mill; Australian patents, 39/6 to 40/6 ex store. GRINDING BARLEY quiet. English, 35/- ex ship, 60/- f.o.r.; Danubian, 32/- ex ship, 33/- landed; Persian, 33/- landed. OATS quietly steady. English 25/6, 31/- f.o.r.; No. 2 Canadian Western, 35/6 landed; Plate, f.a.q., 29/9 clipped, 30/6 landed; American white clipped, 38lbs., 28/9, 36lbs. 28/6 landed. MAIZE steady. Mixed American, 39/6 ex ship; Plate, 39/- ex ship, 41/- landed.

LIVERPOOL, Monday.—WHEAT—Lower quotations from Winnipeg and Chicago adversely affected distant speculative positions of wheat here at the outset, but the market quickly improved under lighter shipments for past week's goods, demand for near by c.i.f. parcels of Manitobas, and shorts covering. Slight fluctuations took place, but prices worked to a higher level. Final rates showed a decided advance on the day, afternoon cables being encouraging. C.i.f. parcels No. 1 Manitoba afloat sold at 51/9, October 51/3 to 51/4½, October-November 49/7½ to 50/-, November-December 49/- to 49/4½, No. 2 hard winter October 51/3, afloat and arrived 51/9, Baril (62½lbs.) afloat 49/6, Rosario Santa Fe (63½lbs.) October-November 50/10½, c.i.f. parcels. MAIZE, River Plate, October-November, sold at 35/3, American mixed afloat 37/1½, yellow afloat 37/1½ per quarter. Wheat on the spot was firm, and generally held for 1d. to 2d. per cental advance. Maize—Spot parcels of American still nominal in the absence of supplies, with River Plate unchanged at 8/5 to 8/5½ per cental. FLOUR in moderate request at late rates. Graded red wheat futures opened unchanged to ½d. lower, but quickly moved upwards, until 1½d. to 1¼d. advance had been established. Then moderate fluctuations followed, but the market closed steady at 1d. to 1½d. per cental advance on the day, the latter price being for December delivery. Maize options nominal.

PROVISIONS.

LIVERPOOL, Monday.—BACON.—The better feeling in the bacon market here became more pronounced, despite a further decline in the value of live hogs at Chicago, which was counteracted by improvement in speculative products from thence, while arrivals at this port over the week-end were practically nil. Buyers were less reserved, Cumberlands and American Wiltshires met an improved demand, and the latter were again dearer at 92/- to 102/-, while bellies were scarce and fairly inquired for at increased prices of 110/- to 112/-, with long clears and backs still scarce and nominal. HAMS less freely offered, but late prices repeated for all selections. Shoulders steadier, with more inquiry, at an advance, squares being now 86/- to 88/-, and picnics 73/- to 78/- per cwt. Canadian Wiltshires firm, and again dearer at 105/- to 115/- per cwt. Irish and Continental sides firm, with former now held at 137/- to 148/-, Danish 135/- to 142/-, and Dutch 126/- to 128/- per 112lbs. LARD on the spot again offered sparingly, and, with a good inquiry for boxes of American refined, a further advance of 6d. is quoted at 70/- to 71/- per cwt. CHEESE strong, and demand improving at further enhanced prices, 110/- to 112/- being now asked for both Canadian white and coloured. BUTTER more firmly held at 220/- to 222/- for Danish, 200/- to 206/- Irish creameries, and 188/- to 194/- Canadian. EGGS firm at 24/6 to 27/- for Irish hen, and 19/6 to 20/6 per 120 Canadian.

PATRICK KEHOE, LTD., Irish Bacon Curers and Lard Refiners, Importers of American Provisions (Estd. 100 years)—103 FRANCIS ST., DUBLIN (Advt.)

LONDON, Monday.—BUTTER—Market ruled firm, with rather more inquiry, chiefly for best quality. Danish, 4/- to 6/- per cwt. dearer. Dutch creameries, 220/- to 224/-; rolls, 24/- to 25/- per 12lbs.; finest Danish, 216/- to 220/-; French baskets, 206/- to 218/-; salted, 210/- to 220/-; Brittany rolls, 22/- to 24/- per 12lbs.; Australian finest, 198/- to 202/-; good to fine, 190/- to 196/-; unsalted, 170/- to 210/-; Irish creameries, 194/- to 198/-; unsalted, 200/- to 210/-; factories, 145/- to 175/-; Canadian, 188/- to 194/-; New Zealand, finest, 204/- to 210/-; unsalted, 216/- to 220/-; secondary, 200/- to 202/-; Argentine, finest, 200/- to 204/-; secondary, 192/- to 196/-; Baltic, 165/- to 204/-; United States, 176/- to 188/-. CHEESE—Market firm, with a fair trade passing. Colonial dearer. Canadian, white, 108/- to 112/-; coloured, 108/- to 112/-; New Zealand, white, 108/-; coloured, 108/- to 112/-; Cheddar, 116/- to 120/-; loaf, 114/- to 118/-; Stiltons, loaf, 1/3 to 1/10 per lb.; Dutch, finest farmers' Edam, 40 p.c., 100/- to 110/-; 30 per cent., 80/-; 14-20 p.c., 58/- to 66/-; Gouda, 40 p.c., 112/- to 116/-; 30 p.c., 76/- to 78/-. BACON—Market firm on reduced killings in Denmark, the demand being chiefly for higher-priced selections. Irish, 135/- to 144/- ex factory; Danish, 128/- to 136/-; Swedish, 124/- to 130/-; Dutch, 126/- to 130/-; Canadian, 106/- to 122/-; heavy-weights, 104/- to 119/-; American, Cumberland cut, 101/- to 102/-; bellies, box, English cut, 104/- to 112/-; American, Wiltshire cut, 88/- to 104/-; Canadian cured, 98/- to 100/-. HAMS—English firm, and light averages scarce; American quiet. York and Cumberland, 200/- to 240/-; Canadian, short cut green, 100/-; heavy, 94/- to 96/-; American, long cut green, 98/- to 108/-; short cut green, 97/- to 103/-; shoulders, square, 84/- to 87/-; New York, 78/-; picnics, 70/- to 78/-. LARD—Market firm for American on short supplies. Irish bladders, 72/- to 80/-; boxes, 66/- ex factory; American cartons, 74/6 to 75/6; American boxes, 72/-; American pails, 75/6; Danish bladders, 74/-; Dutch boxes, 69/-, ex 69/6. EGGS—Finest qualities firm, with a fair demand, but supplies generally are ample for requirements. French, all brown, 26/- to 27/-; extras, mixed, 22/- to 23/-; best Dutch, all brown, 27/- to 29/-; selected mixed, 25/- to 26/-; English, new laid, 30/-; Italians, 18/- to 20/-; Irish, 24/- to 26/-; Styrian, blues, 18/- to 18/6; reds, 13/- to 13/6; Lithuanian, 17/- to 18/-; Polish, 15/- to 15/6; Argentine, 19/- to 20/-; Danish, 18lbs., 27/- to 28/-; 16lbs., 25/- to 26/-; Australian, 24/6; South African, 17/- to 20/-.

DUBLIN WHOLESALE VEGETABLE, Monday.—Absolutely nothing of quotable dimensions offering here.

CORK BUTTER, Monday.—Supplies continue in excess of requirements, and the tone of the market remains quiet. Creameries 198/- to 203/- per cwt., choicest mild cured 200/-, fresh 170/-.

DUBLIN WHOLESALE FISH, Monday.—Very limited supplies on market, namely, one chest lobsters and some small consignments from local wind trawlers and hookers. Prices ranged as follows:—Lobsters 12/6 to 13/- per doz. of 13, large soles 20/- to 30/-, mediums 10/- to 15/-, and slips 5/- to 7/6 per 9 pairs; turbot 6d. to 8/- each, and brill 6d. to 4/- each.

GRIMSBY FISH, Monday.—Sixty North Sea, five Iceland, two Faroe trawlers, and three liners landed fair supply. Demand good. Plaice 13/-, lemon soles 17/-, halibut 11/- to 18/-, cod 6/- to 8/6, skate 6/- to 8/-, small haddock 21/-, kit 4/-, gibbed 5/6, dabs 6/- to 8/-, codlings 5/-, whitings 3/- per stone; soles 1/8, turbot and brill 9d. per lb.

BILLINGSGATE FISH, Monday.—Supply moderate. Demand fair. Soles and slips 1/4 to 1/10 per lb.; live eels 16/- to 28/-, dead 10/- to 18/- per draft; turbot and brill 8/- to 10/-, plaice 9/- to 11/-, halibut 12/- to 14/-, lemon soles 12/- to 13/-, whitches 6/- to 7/-, cod 6/- to 7/6, whiting 3/-, hake 8/- to 10/-, gurnet 3/-, haddocks 3/- to 5/-, skate 6/- to 7/- per stone.

LONDON CENTRAL MEAT, Monday.—Beef firm, and occasionally dearer. Scotch long sides, 7/8 to 8/-; short, 8/4 to 9/-; English, 5/8 to 6/4; Argentine chilled hind quarters, 4/5. Mutton steady. Scotch tegs and wethers, 9/- to 10/-; ewes, 5/8 to 6/4; English wethers, 8/8 to 9/8; ewes, 5/4 to 6/-; frozen, 4/2 to 5/3. Lamb maintained. Veal firm.

PRODUCE.

LONDON, Monday.—SUGAR—Previous quotations were repeated for refined descriptions on spot, and a moderate business was effected. Of imported, American granulated spot sold 30/-, white Java 48/3 to 48/9, do. afloat sellers 20/9, c.f. and i. London. Belgian F.W. granulated November sold 20/3, f.o.b. Antwerp. Dutch sugars unaltered for shipment. Terminal market steady; white December done 21/6, February 21/7½, May 21/9 to 21/10½ per cwt. COFFEE—Market steady, but spot business is of a quiet character. TEA—Indian auctions embraced some 25,000 packages, which met a very firm market under active biddings, and the lower qualities were again higher. Pekoe sold 1/4¼ to 1/8½, broken do. 1/5½ to 2/10¼, orange 1/5 to 2/3½, broken orange 1/6½ to 2/10¼, very fine 3/4¼ per lb. in bond. RICE—Market quietly steady; two stars spot 15/- to 15/3, October-November 14/-. Beans firm, and Rangoon hand-picked spot 8/-. Japanese peas—September-October 28/2 per cwt. SPICE—Pepper market steady, but trade slow. Fair black Singapore spot 5¼d., December-February 3 11-16d., Aleppy spot 4d., Tellicherry 4¼d., white Singapore spot 5½d., Muntok 6d., do. December-February 5½d. Zanzibar cloves—October-December 5⅛d. FLAKE TAPIOCA—Spot 2 9-16d. per lb. Fair Penang seed tapioca—Spot 21/- to 21/6. Sago Flour—October-December 12/3. Desiccated Cocoanut firm; medium cut spot sold 37/-, halves November-December quoted 35/9 per cwt. JUTE—Market remained quiet, and tendency of prices ruled weaker. First grade November-December Continent sellers £31, December-January £31 10/-; lightning grade November-December £29, December-January £29 10/- per ton. Hessians slow; 10 ounce December-January sold 27/6, 8 ounce do. quoted 23/- per 100 yards. Twills quiet, unaltered. HEMP—Manila quiet. Receipts last week cabled 39,000 bales; estimated for next week 32,000 bales, and week following 38,000 bales. J. grade October-December quoted £31, K £30, L £29 5/-, M £28 10/- per ton. New Zealand dull, unchanged. SHELLAC steady; T.N. spot 315/-, December 305/-, March 287/6 per cwt. COPRA steady, with fair inquiries. F.M.S. Straits November-January and December-February Rotterdam sold £24 2/6, Ceylon November-January quoted £25 5/-, Java £24 5/-, Dutch East Indies sold £24 3/6, South Sea quoted £22 17/6, Cebu at £23 10/3. PALM KERNELS—December-February Liverpool sold £17 2/6 per ton. RUBBER—Market steady, and a fair business transpired. Standard crepe and sheet spot, also November delivery, sold 12¼d., December 12½d. to 12¼d., January-March 12½d. to 12⅝d., April-June 12¾d. To New York standard sheet European estate November-December sold 12½d., December-January 12⅝d., and January alone at 12⅝d., c.f. and i. Fine hard Para spot 13d., soft 11½d., ball 10d. per lb. OILS—Linseed quieter; spot 40/-, November-December 37/4½, January-April 35/7½. Rape, Cotton, Cocoanut, and Castor unaltered. China wood—Hankow spot 73/-. Turpentine dull; American spot to December 123/-, January-April 124/- per cwt. OILSEEDS—Linseed quietly steady; Calcutta October-November sellers £30, Plate £18 10/-, January-February £18 17/6. Rapeseed quiet; Toria November-December sellers at £17 15/-, Jamba £13 12/6. Cottonseed quiet; Egyptian black November £10 2/6, white £9 17/6, Bombay £8 2/6 per ton. LINSEED CAKES—The recent advance has naturally curtailed the consumptive demand, and trade generally is quite of a tail description, country dealers being content to fill their immediate requirements. In the meantime, values remain firm at £13 7/6 to £13 10/- for London made, and £12 10/- to £12 15/- for foreign descriptions. Cotton Cakes—The relatively low figure at which these are available is causing an increased consumptive demand, and a considerable business has been done, both in near and forward positions, in Egyptian bags, at £8 17/6 per ton ex ship, and £7 5/- per ton ex quay; while English makes also remain good value at £7 7/6 to £7 10/- per ton. Coconut Cakes—A limited quantity of English may be bought at £9 per ton ex mill, and some fine quality white Java, shortly due, attracts considerable attention at £9 10/- per ton. Offals—English millers have again advanced their price, and to-day ask £8 15/- to £9 per ton for middlings, and £6 10/- to £6 15/- per ton for bran, with sellers of Dutch middlings for prompt shipment at £8 5/- to £8 10/- per ton. Maize Foods—Gartons maize gluten feed is held for rather more money at £9 per ton ex mill, and maize germ meal at £9 15/- per ton, at which there is a ready market. Sugar Foods—Hughes' patent molassine and Molassine meal meet an improved inquiry, and are without change in value. Best cane cattle feeding treacle is in good request at £4 2/6 to £4 5/- per ton, in 6 cwt. casks.

LIVERPOOL, Monday.—TALLOW firm, with the demand from the home trade on a quiet scale. Business effected in South American Liebig's beefs, November shipment, at 37/- per cwt. c.i.f. to the Continent.

CLYDE CRUSHED SUGAR (Official), Monday.—Market opens very firm, good demand at full prices.

MISCELLANEOUS.

BRADFORD WOOL, Monday.—Most users have covered their requirements and business had become quieter. Merino tops and botany yarns are firm, but users are very cautious buyers, and some of them regard prices as too high. Fine and medium crossbred qualities remain the strongest part of the market. Coarse crossbreds are in moderate demand at late rates.

LIVERPOOL COTTON (Closing), Monday.—American fair demand. Brazilian quotations advanced 32 points. East Indian unchanged. Egyptian fair demand. October 14.37d., November 14.03d., December 13.93d., January 13.79d., February 13.68d., March 13.58d. Sales, 10,000 bales. Imports 1,501 bales. Market steady.

LONDON METALS MARKET.
Tin Still Rising.

With active support forthcoming, and which caused sellers to adopt marked reserve, a strong tone governed the market for TIN, and prices, on balance, ruled 75/- to 80/- per ton higher as compared with the close of Friday. Cash quoted £148 10/- to £148 12/6; three months at £185 to £185 2/6; settlement price £148 10/-. Sales, 1,000 tons; cash at £182 15/- to £184 12/6, November, £183 to £184 10/-, three months, £182 10/- to £185 10/-; finally, £185. COPPER—Market firmer, with fair transactions, and 7/6 to 10/- dearer on balance. Cash quoted £63 7/6 to £63 10/-; three months, £63 12/6 to £64; settlement price, £63 10/-; middle January, £63; and three months, £63 7/6 to £63 12/6. Electros, £70 5/- to £70 15/-. LEAD steady. Sales, 650 tons. October done £26 10/-; January, £24 17/6 to £25; February, £24 10/- to £24 12/6. SPELTER easy. Sales, 800 tons. November done £36 2/6 to £36 17/6; December, £35 10/- to £35 7/6; January, £35 per ton. TINPLATES steady, quiet.

THE MONEY MARKET.

EASY CONDITIONS.

FOREIGN EXCHANGES REACT.

One of the banks that usually window dresses on Monday postponed the operation until to-day, and the effect was to produce an easier condition than might otherwise have applied. Consequently little difficulty was experienced in repaying a moderate sum to the bank. Borrowers frequently paid 2 p.c. for night money, the charge ranging down to 1½ for the renewal of old loans. Fixtures were going on at 1½ p.c.

Bank Rate (Discount) changed July 13, 1922. 3%					
60 days (fine)	2½	2⅛	Trade	3	3¼%
3 months		2½	"	3	3½%
4 months	2½	2⅝	"	3¾	3¾%
6 months	2½	2⅝			
Loans to brokers day-to-day				2	1½%
" " for a week					1½%
Deposit allowance: Banks at call					1%
" " Discount houses, at call					1%
" " at notice					1½%

Stagnation prevailed in discounts, there being no demand for bills, which were firm in tendency as a consequence. The new Treasuries were 2 5/16 to 2¼, with a few sellers about, while ordinary three months' bank bills were 2 5/16 to 2⅜ p.c., with an inquiry for fine qualities at 2¼ p.c.

Gold declined 3d. per oz. to 92s. 5d. nominal. Silver fell 1/16d. to 34 1/16d. per oz. for spot and 33 11/16d. for forward delivery.

A reactionary tendency was noticeable in the foreign exchange market yesterday, there being a sharp fall after the recent improvement in French francs, which were quoted 64.40-64.50. On the *coup d'état* by the Fascisti, Italian lire worsened to 113-113½, while German marks, after opening steady at 18,600-18,800 to the £, relapsed to 19,300, with Belgium quoted 69.30-69.40. Sterling was not quite so good on New York at 4.45⅛-4.46, while Dutch money became a little cheaper at 11.41-11.41½, with Switzerland moving similarly to 24.70-24.75. Norwegian kroner were fairly steady at 24.60-24.70, but Portugal fell back a little to 3⅛-3½ with rupees firmer at 1s. 3 15/16d.-1s. 3 31/32d. Brazil was steady at 6⅛-6 3/16, and Vienna remained at 315,000-335,000, Polish marks not being quite so depressed at 58,000-63,000. Argentine dollars were dull at 44-44⅛, and Japan steady at 2s. 2 1/32d. The following are closing quotations:—

—	October 30.		October 28.		Normal Rate.
Alexandria	97⅛		97 1/16	97⅛	97½d
Amsterdam	11.41	11.41½	11.42½	11.43	12.10
B. Ayres	44	44⅛	44	44⅛	47.58
Barcelona	29.20	29.25	29.25		25.22
Berlin	19,200	19,400	18,000	20,000	20.40
Bombay	1/3 15/16	1/3 31/32	1/3 15/16		1/4½
Brussels	69.30	69.40	67.75	67.85	25.22½
Calcutta	1/3 15/16	1/3 31/32	1/3 31/32		1/4
Christiania	24.60	24.70	24.74	24.78	18.15
Copenhagen	22.10	22.15	22.17	22.20	18.15
Czecho-Slov	137	142	141	143	—
Finland	180	185	185	186	25.22½
Greece	215	220	210	215	25.22½
Hong Kong	2/5 11/16	2/5⅞	2/5¾		?
Hungary	10,500	11,500	10,500	11,500	—
Italy	113	113½	111	112	25.22½
Lisbon	3½	3⅝	3½	[illegible]	53½d.
Madrid	29.20	29.25	29.20	[illegible]	25.22½
Mexico	26½		25.28		24½d.
Montreal	4.44⅝	4.45	4.45⅛	4.45⅜	4.86
Montevideo	41⅞	42⅛	42	42½	51d.
New York	4.45⅛	4.46	4.43⅝	4.46	4.86
Paris	64.40	64.50	62.97	63.02	25.22
Poland	58,000	63,000	65,000	70,000	—
Rio de Jan.	6⅛	6 3/16	6 3/16	6¼	16d.
Roumania	705	715	690	720	—
Shanghai	3/3⅝	3/4⅛	3/2⅝		?
Singapore	2/4⅛		2/4⅛		2/4⅛
Stockholm	16.62	16.67	16.63	16.65	18.15
Switzerland	24.70	24.75	24.65	24.68	25.22
Valparaiso	33.30		33.50		13.33
Vienna	315,000	335,000	330,000	340,000	—
Yokohama	2/2	2/2 1/16	2/1 15/16		24.5d

The Times quotation for the German mark to-day is 19,900.

CHURCH FINANCE.

MONEY-RAISING METHODS CONDEMNED.

"Many of the methods adopted for raising money for church purposes are thoroughly bad, often demoralising, and sometimes wholly unworthy," says the Bishop of St. Albans.

"What impression is made on the man in the street. . . . by his seeing on all hands that the great Church of England, which professes to be part and parcel of the Church of the Living God, and to hold the secret of all true life and happiness and progress, is so put to it even to pay its own servants, or to keep its houses watertight, that it has continually to have recourse to side-shows of some sort to raise the necessary funds? . . . So long as we refuse to face the fact that the only dependable source of regular and self-denying and generous giving to God's work is to be found in the spirit of enthusiasm for His work and service, the spirit of real generosity and thankfulness, and the spirit of self-sacrifice for the achievement of a great enterprise, we shall never begin to solve the question of Church finance."

HUMANE LEGISLATION.

JUDGE AND NEW INFANTICIDE ACT.

At the Lincoln Assizes yesterday, a Coningsby domestic servant, Emma Temple, aged 19, pleaded guilty to murdering her newly-born child at Tattershall, adding that at the time she did not know what she was doing. The Crown accepted the plea, which counsel said was the first case which came within the wise and merciful provisions of the new Infanticide Act.

In sentencing the accused to four months' in the Second Division, Mr. Justice Lush described the new Act as a most wise and humane piece of legislation. The Act marked a fresh step in the improvement of the criminal law, and he was glad to avail himself of its provisions. He felt great pity for the prisoner, and if one consulted one's own feelings one would be glad to have said that she had suffered punishment enough. He must, however, take care that the way he dealt with her should be a deterrent to others. A young woman about to become a mother must make proper provision for her child.

VICAR'S HOUSEKEEPER FINED.

For throwing a glass of beer at the head barman of the Rising Sun Hotel, Willesden, London, Lily Hann, a well-dressed woman, who said she was housekeeper to the local vicar, was fined £5 at the local police court.

FROM THE LONDON GAZETTE.

WAR OFFICE, 27th October, 1922.
REGULAR FORCES.
COMMANDS AND STAFF.

General Staff Officer, 3rd Grade—Captain D. A. Hutchison, R.E., relinquishes his appointment at the War Office.

CAVALRY.

4th Dragoon Guards.—Lieut. K. B. Stanley resigns his commission.

INFANTRY.

The King's Regiment.—Lieut. J. Bailey, M.M., from Royal Irish Regiment, to be Lieut.

Devon Regiment.—Captain F. M. S. Gibson is seconded for service with the Tank Corps.

Somerset L.I.—Captain and Brevet-Major R. B. Denny retires, receiving a gratuity.

ROYAL ARMY ORDNANCE CORPS.

Major R. H. V. Kelly, R.F.A., relinquishes the grading of Ordnance Officer, 4th Class, 9th October, 1922.

MEMORANDA.

Lieut.-General Sir H. de la P. Gough, G.C.M.G., K.C.B., K.C.V.O., placed on retired pay, and granted the hon. rank of General.

The undermentioned Colonel placed on half-pay—R. S. Vandeleur, C.B., C.M.G., on vacating his appointment as officer i/c Records.

Colonel Denis J. Collins, M.D., to be Assistant Director of Medical Services.

Lieut.-Colonel F. E. Whitton, C.M.G., half-pay list, late Leinster Regt., retires on retired pay.

Captain A. Gallagher, D.S.O., M.C., 4th Dragoon Guards, to be Temp. Major whilst employed as a Remount Depot Officer.

Captain and Brevet-Major H. L. Brown, M.C., half-pay list, late K.O.Y.L.I., retires on retired pay on account of ill-health.

CAVALRY.

4th Dragoon Guards.—Kenneth Bridges Stanley, late Lieutenant, to be Lieutenant.

ROYAL REGIMENT OF ARTILLERY.

Royal Horse and Royal Field Artillery.—Major E. F. Talbot Ponsonby, having attained the age limit of liability to recall, ceases to belong to the Reserve of Officers.

Royal Ulster Rifles.—Lieut. Robert Noe Henry, late Service Battalions, to be Lieutenant.

W. T. Sullivan, late R.A.S.C., to be Lieutenant.

MILITIA—INFANTRY.

3rd Royal Dublin Fusiliers.—Major P. C. Hallowes resigns his commission.

BATTERSBY & CO.'S SALES.

FURNITURE SALE, TO-DAY (TUESDAY), OCTOBER 31st, 26 LOWER LEESON STREET.

WE ARE FAVOURED WITH INSTRUCTIONS TO SELL BY AUCTION, ON THE PREMISES, THIS DAY (TUESDAY), an important Residue of Antique Furniture, Oil Paintings, Piano, etc., comprising as follows:—Ebony Ormolu-mounted Quadrant End Cabinet, French Marquetry Jardiniere, Walnut Case Semi-Grand Piano, by Mackintosh; Rosewood Davenport, Inlaid Walnut Oval Table, Antique Mahogany Economy Dining Table, do. Chairs in leather and leather cloth; Walnut Sofa and Chairs in silk tapestry, Mahogany Writing Table, Oak Open Bookcase, Occasional Chairs and Tables, Magnificent Gilt Clock and pair of Candelabra, Bronze and Indian Ornaments, Oil Paintings, by Berghem, Patel, Van Bloemen, and other artists; small Library of Law and Miscellaneous Books, including "Times" History of the War; sundry Bedroom Furniture, Kitchen Furniture and Utensils, and Coppers, Table Glass and other Miscellaneous Lots.
On view morning of Sale, 10 to 12. Sale at 12 o'clock.
Terms—Cash and 5 per cent. fees.

THURSDAY NEXT, NOVEMBER 2ND.
AT OUR SALEROOMS, No. 39 WESTMORELAND STREET, AT 1.30 O'C.

5 KILLEEN ROAD, RATHMINES.
DOUBLE FRONTED, NON-BASEMENT, POSSESSION.
Head rent, £3 10s. 0d. Lease 800 years. Clear possession. Key at No. 7.
E. WHITE, Solicitor, 16 Molesworth Street.

25 ORWELL PARK, RATHGAR.
HANDSOME, SEMI-DETACHED, NON-BASEMENT, POSSESSION.
Ground rent £15. Lease about 180 years unexpired. Clear possession to purchaser. Seen on our order. Photo.
Messrs. CORRIGAN & CORRIGAN, Solicitors, 3 St. Andrew street.

DWELLING, WITH POSSESSION, STATION ST., BALBRIGGAN, FORMERLY IN POSSESSION OF MISS GURRY.
Head rent £5. Lease for ever.
Messrs. A. COX & CO., Solicitors, 5 Stephen's Green.

THOROUGHLY SECURED RENTS, CITY OF DUBLIN.
LOT 1—£66 1s. 6d. per annum absolutely secured, arising out of 26, 27, 28 GEORGE'S QUAY and 18 POOLBEG STREET, and let to Messrs. Heiton under F.F.G. and 900 years at £66 1s. 6d. per annum.
LOT 2—Well secured profit rent of £81 10s. 3d. per annum, arising out of Nos. 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18 19 and 19a COLERAINE STREET and Nos. 1 and 2 NEW LISBURN STREET, City of Dublin. Held at rents amounting to £53 12s. 9d. per annum, and let at £135 3s. 0d. per annum, leaving a profit rent of £81 10s. 3d. per annum.
Messrs. H. B. BURTON and SONS, Solicitors, 43 Dame Street.

46 CASIMIR ROAD, KIMMAGE.
SEMI-DETACHED, NON-BASEMENT, POSSESSION.
Head rent £5 10s. 0d. Lease 999 years. P.L.V. £22. Immediate possession to purchaser.

BATTERSBY & CO., AUCTIONEERS.

JAMES H. NORTH & CO.'S SALES.
TO-DAY (TUESDAY).
AT 1.30 P.M. FOR 2 SHARP. AT 110 GRAFTON STREET.

9 ANGLESEA ROAD, BALLSBRIDGE.—TWO-STOREYED MODERN HOUSE, without basement, bay windows to roof; return building; recess hall door; gardens front and rear; side entrance; gas and Vartry water; front overlooking R. D. Society's Grounds; 5 apartments, bathroom, h. and c. water, w.c.; kitchen, servant's room, scullery; outside w.c., coal store, and bicycle house. Lease 500 years. H. Rent £5 8s.
MARCUS F. TWIGG, Solicitor, 36 Molesworth street.

8 CLARE STREET, MERRION SQUARE.—POSSESSION TO PURCHASER.—An unusually Attractive House, in excellent repair, with garden at rear and coach-house and stable. The accommodation comprises spacious hall, with new oak hall door; study, with fixed basin and supply of hot and cold water; diningroom, two handsome, well-proportioned drawingrooms; 4 family bedrooms, two maids' rooms. In the Return building there are an additional surgery, dentist's workshop, etc.; bathroom, fixed basin. There are numerous recess presses; 3 water closets; tiled kitchen, with Eagle range; large pantry with hot and cold water; electric light throughout, telephone, and also telephones between the rooms; all grates modern; greenhouse, with vine, in garden. Held till 29th September, 1934, at the adjusted rent of £29 4/6, and for a further term of 70 years from 29th September, 1934, subject to £32 per annum.
R. H. BEAUCHAMP and ORR, Solicitors, 5 Foster Place.

9 BROOKFIELD TERRACE, DONNYBROOK.—Within a few minutes' walk of Donnybrook tram terminus and Ballsbridge. Clear possession to purchaser. One of these favourite well-built Houses, containing diningroom, drawingroom, three bedrooms, bathroom, servant's room, with kitchen, pantries, etc., has good garden front and rear; choice residential position, open front and rear. Lease 800 years, subject to £7 10/- per annum.
WILLIAM M. MOORE and SONS, Solicitors, 8 Anglesea street.

JAMES H. NORTH & CO.,
AUCTIONEERS, 110 GRAFTON STREET.

SALE THIS DAY (IN CONTINUATION).
MESSRS. JAMES HILL & SON,
10, 11, AND 12 BACHELOR'S WALK,
WILL CONTINUE THE SALE BY AUCTION OF THE COLLECTION OF
USEFUL HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE,
PICTURES, PAINTINGS, ENGRAVINGS, & ORNAMENTAL EFFECTS
(AS ALREADY FULLY ADVERTISED ON SATURDAY LAST).
Sale commences at 1 p.m. sharp. Purchasers to pay 5 per cent. Auction Fees.
JAMES HILL & SON, AUCTIONEERS AND VALUERS, **10, 11, 12 Bachelor's Walk.**

SALE THIS DAY AT 12 O'CLOCK.
THE LAURELS, TORQUAY ROAD, FOXROCK.
TO-DAY (TUESDAY), 31st OCTOBER.
JAMES ADAM and SONS, having Sold the Premises, have been further instructed to hold an AUCTION SALE of HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE and OUTDOOR EFFECTS, comprising briefly:—Walnut and Mah. mirror-back Cheffonieres; Mah. 6ft. mirror-back Sideboard; 6 Rosewood and 6 Walnut Chairs; Mah. Dinner and Side Tables; Ottoman Seat; Whatnots; Oval Walnut Loo, Octagon, and other Occasional Tables; Couches; Easy and Occasional Chairs; Gilded and Mah. Mantel Mirrors; Cut Glass Chandelier; Indian, Axminster and other Room and Stair Carpets; Hall Bench, Stand, Chair and Barometer; Linoleums; Lamps; Window Seats; Brass Fenders; Glass and China; Mah. Wardrobes, Dressing Tables, Washstands, and Toilet Glasses; Mah. Chests Drawers; Mah. and Brass and Iron Bedsteads, Hair Mattresses, and Bedding; Stretcher Bed; Presses; Kitchen Dresser, Cupboard, Mangle, Furniture and Utensils; Scales; Preserve Pan; Knife Machine; Garden Benches and Chairs; Cap Glasses; 4 Garden Frames; Wheelbarrow, Hand Barrow, and Tools; Vases and Pedestals; Plaster Figures; Iron Boiler and Lead-Lined Tank; Dog Kennel; 3 Chicken Coops; Greenhouse Plants and Flower Pots; Shank's Lawn Mower; Wire Netting and Stands; Slate Table; Timber, Sleepers, and Galvanized Iron Sheets; Drain Pipes, Sand Screen; Oat Bin; Garden Roller; Large IRON SAFE, etc. On View This Morning, 10 till 12. SALE TO-DAY (TUESDAY), 31st OCTOBER, at 12 o'clock. Purchasers to pay 5 per cent. Auction Fees.

JAMES ADAM & SONS,
Auctioneers and Appraisers;
17 MERRION ROW and 19 STEPHEN'S GREEN.

THURSDAY NEXT, 2nd NOVEMBER.
30 LOWER LEESON STREET.
AUCTION SALE—RESIDUE OF FURNITURE, Comprising—Superior Mahogany 6'-6" Enclosed Sideboard, with lofty mirror back; Telescope 8-feet Dinner Table, 6-panel back Dining Chairs, in leather, and 3-shelf Dinner Waggon; 2 large Mantel Mirrors and Pier Mirror, in gilded frames; 2 Overmantels, Settee, Occasional Chairs and Tables, Axminster and Wilton Room and Stair Carpets, Hall Tables and Chairs, Iron Bedsteads, Spring and Hair Mattresses, Mahogany Chest Drawers, Toilet Tables, Wash Tables and Toilet Glasses, Towel Rails, painted 2-door Wardrobes, Kitchen Furniture, Glass and China, etc. On view morning of Sale 10 till 12 o'clock. Sale Thursday, 2nd November, at 12 o'clock. Delivery after Sale. Purchaser to pay 5 per cent. Auction fees.

JAMES ADAM & SONS,
Auctioneers, Appraisers and House Property Agents,
17 MERRION ROW and 19 STEPHEN'S GREEN.

10 GARVILLE ROAD, RATHGAR
MONDAY NEXT, 6th NOVEMBER.
Compact, non-basement House, in modern condition, good neighbourhood, beside tram. Held for about 90 years at £4 per annum. For Sale, with possession, by Auction at the Estate Salerooms, 17 Merrion row, at one o'clock. The house is fitted with electric light and gas, and contains 2 sitting, 4 bedrooms, maid's room, bath, hot linen press, with copper cylinder, pantries, tiled kitchen, garden, etc.
Seen any day by appointment with the Auctioneers.
Further particulars and conditions of Sale from H. T. DIX and SONS, Solicitors, 24 Clare street; or

JAMES ADAM & SONS,
Auctioneers,
17 MERRION ROW and 19 STEPHEN'S GREEN.

TERENURE.
14 HEALTHFIELD ROAD,
TUESDAY, 7th NOVEMBER,
MOST ATTRACTIVE RESIDENCE,
with possession in spotless condition, inside and outside, needing not a penny outlay, and ready for immediate occupation. Situate in the county, and benefiting by county rates; adjoining the tram, with fine open situation at rear. The plan is of the most modern, side entrance, no basement, good entrance hall, 3 sittingrooms (two with wide folding doors and one with entrance to garden), tiled kitchen and scullery with pottery washup, pantries, larder, etc., all on ground floor; upstairs are 4 bedrooms, maid's room, hot linen press with copper cylinder, bathroom, with porcelain enamel bath and wash basin, and a separate apartment w.c.; hot water throughout. Pretty grates and mantels; telephone. Outside is a good garden with fruit trees, finely constructed greenhouse, 30' x 10', iron framed and heated, brick built coal cellar, w.c. The entire equipped, fitted, and decorated in exceptionally good taste and in fine order.
Held for 900 years from 1909, at £9 9s. per annum.
FOR SALE BY AUCTION, ON THE PREMISES, immediately preceding the Sale of the Furniture, at 12 o'clock, noon.
Seen any week-day by appointment with Auctioneers. Full particulars and conditions of Sale from
VINCENT and BEATTY, Solicitors, 62 Dame street; or

JAMES ADAM & SONS,
Auctioneers,
17 MERRION ROW and 19 STEPHEN'S GREEN.

STORE CATTLE SALE,
At 50 PRUSSIA STREET, DUBLIN, on
THURSDAY, 2nd NOV., 1922.
Included in above is a very choice consignment of Hereford Cross Bullocks, bred by the Right Hon. Earl of Fingall.
GAVIN LOW, LTD.,
50 PRUSSIA STREET, DUBLIN.

STORE CATTLE SALES EVERY THURSDAY.
R. & J. WILKINSON,
40/41 PRUSSIA STREET, DUBLIN.

DOCKRELL LIMITED.
FURNITURE AUCTION TO-DAY (TUESDAY), At 12 o'clock,
41 ASHDALE ROAD, TERENURE PARK.
Walnut Cabinet Sideboard, with mirror back; Mahogany Dining Table, with screw-expanding frame; 6 Walnut Dining Chairs, Carved Walnut Secretaire, with Enclosed Bookcase over; Chesterfield Couch, Mahogany Pedestal Writing Desk, Mahogany Sofa Table, Carved Oak Hall Table, Mahogany Enclosed Bookcase with press under, Mahogany and other Occasional Tables, Occasional and Bentwood Chairs, Arm and Easy Chairs, Pierce Press and other Fenders and Curbs, Benares Tray and Stand, Axminster Carpets, Brussels Stair Carpeting; Ash, White Enamel, and other Bedroom Suites; Mahogany Chest of Drawers, Painted ditto, Brass-mounted Beds, Spring and Hair Mattresses; Oil Paintings, Etchings and other Pictures; 2-burner Perfection Oil Stove, with double oven; large quantity of Books, Copper and other Coal Vases, Mantel Clock, Kitchen Furniture and Utensils, Maid's Room Furniture; Lawn Mower, Plants, Coal, Collection of Coins, 30-inch Telescope Folding Ladder. Goods on View this morning, from 10 o'clock.

PROPERTY AUCTION,
THURSDAY NEXT, AT 1.15 O'CLOCK,
AT OUR PROPERTY SALEROOMS
SOUTH GREAT GEORGE'S STREET.
4 CLOONADA TERRACE, ESPLANADE, BRAY.
A Semi-Detached House of striking appearance, without basement, verandah in front; 3 reception rooms, 6 family bedrooms, maid's room, hot bath; garden in front, boat-house. Held for 999 years from 1888, and being Sold primarily liable to £10.
R. C. JAMESON, Esq., Solicitor, 182 Great Brunswick street.

DOCKRELL LIMITED,
Auctioneers and Valuers,
SOUTH GREAT GEORGE'S STREET, DUBLIN.

JEWELLERY, DIAMONDS, Etc.,
IN THE DIVISIONAL AUCTION ROOMS, 12 WOOD QUAY, on THIS (TUESDAY) EVENING 31st OCTOBER, 1922, at 6 o'clock sharp.
HIGHLY ATTRACTIVE AND IMPORTANT SALE BY AUCTION FROM KELLY'S
Great Central Money Office,
48 FLEET ST.,
Comprising:—
GOLD WATCHES,
DIAMONDS,
JEWELLERY,
SILVER, PLATED WARE, etc.
Sale at 6 o'clock.
FREDERICK BEASLEY,
Auctioneer and Valuer,
12 WOOD QUAY.

'Phone—1146. Tels.—"Burns, Prussia street."
MACKIE, BURNS & CO.,
Auctioneers and Live Stock Salesmen,
30 PRUSSIA STREET.

AUCTION THIS DAY (TUESDAY), 31st OCTOBER, at 11.30, for Ernest Bewley, Esq., at DANUM, ZION ROAD, RATHGAR, his ENTIRE STOCK OF POULTRY AND APPLIANCES.
ON VIEW THIS DAY (TUESDAY).
SALE TO-MORROW (WEDNESDAY), at 12.30 o'clock,
HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE AND EFFECTS.
PIANO, Hupmobile Motor, Four-Seater; Electrical Dental Engine, Denal Spittoon, etc., at 29 KILDARE STREET.
As already fully advertised. Purchasers to pay 5 per cent. Commission.
P. J. BYRNE,
Auctioneer,
8 PARLIAMENT STREET.

LUSK LIVE STOCK SALE,
TO-DAY (TUESDAY), OCTOBER 31st, At 1 o'clock.
FAT AND STORE CATTLE SALE,
300 HEAD,
Consisting of Beef Bullocks and Heifers, choice lots of Polly Bullocks, forward Store Cattle, Springers, and Stripper Cows.
JAMES J. ROONEY & CO.,
Auctioneers and Valuers, Cattle and Sheep Salesmen.

SHERIFF'S SALE.
KEARNEY V. MACKEY.
TO BE SOLD BY PUBLIC AUCTION, at KEARNEY and COMPANY, Shiprights, Thorncastle street, RINGSEND, County of Dublin, on WEDNESDAY, the 1st day of NOVEMBER, 1922. By Order of a Writ of Fieri Facias in this Cause to me Directed, the following Boats, etc., under Seizure, viz.:—Smack, Shamrock, Light Tender, 50x12x7-6 draught; Nuggett, motor fishing boat, 30x12x5-6 draught, 18/12 h.p. Gleniffer engine, all gear complete; Eileen, schooner yacht, 40x10x4/6 draught, sails and gear complete; 9-foot Punt, varnished, larch built.
Sale to commence at 12 o'clock. Terms—Cash.
R. BRAMSTON NEWMAN,
High Sheriff, County Dublin.

HOUSES AND LANDS.

DOCKRELL LIMITED.

Killiney, 4 Acres—A BEAUTIFUL RESIDENCE, in most perfect order, for Sale at reduced price of £2,500, enjoying glorious view of sea and mountains. Good hall, large billiard room, opening on to terrace, diningroom, drawingroom, 7 bedrooms, servants' rooms, 2 bathrooms, garage, fine garden and tennis ground. Seen on orders from Dockrell Limited, South Great George's street.

Dorset Street—BUILDERS' YARD FOR SALE, with possession; offices, workshops, machinery, and motor plant; electric light. Lease 300 years. Apply to Dockrell Limited, South Great George's street.

Claremont Villas, Glenageary—WELL-BUILT HOUSE FOR SALE, with possession, 3 reception, 4 bedrooms, maid's room, hot bath; nice garden; only £875. Apply Dockrell Limited, South Great George's street.

Waterloo Road—DELIGHTFUL SMALL HOUSE, with charming garden, and in perfect order, to be Sold. Apply Dockrell Limited, South Great George's street.

DOCKRELL LIMITED,
HOUSE AGENTS,
SOUTH GREAT GEORGE'S STREET.

HOUSES AND LANDS, ENGLAND, SCOTLAND, AND WALES.
CHESHIRE.
WESTKIRBY (25 mins. of Liverpool), excellent family House, golf, station, prom. (near to). Good view River Dee and Welsh hills; garden, 2 ent., 7 bed, G.F. kitchen, etc.; E/Lgt. and gas. Price reduced £1,975 (offer invited); FREEHOLD; POSSESSION EARLY. Apply W. F. BEAVAN, Estate Offices, West Kirby. (Tel.—89 Hoylake.)

TUITIONS CONTINUED.
SHORTHAND, Typing Taught half usual time; private tuition.—Murphy, 16 Appian Way. 12 26
YOU. 1 Lady, R.C., wishes post as Nursery Governess or Companion Help; experience; recommended.—C 687, this office. 30 C

GOVERNESSES AND TUTORS WANTED.
AGENT FOR GOVERNESSES AND SCHOOLS. Miss Bellingham Todd, 5 Grafton st., Dublin. Advises Parents and Managers. Tel. No. 5258. T
GERMAN—Conversation with Native Speaker Wanted by two students; state terms.—C 617, this office. 30 E
WANTED immediately, Kells Parochial National School, Qualified Junior Assistant Mistress; salary £110. Apply Rev. Clifford, Rectory, Kells, Meath. 26 B
WANTED, Kindergarten, First Music, mornings. Apply Cranford, Stillorgan road, Donnybrook.

PREMISES, LANDS, ETC.
HOUSE, suit small Hotel, best part of the city.—Prim Bros., 21 Dawson street. 26 B
OFFICES, 2 or 4 (first floor).—24 Lower Ormond quay. F
RUTLAND lane—Premises to Let, suitable stabling, garage, loft; roomy. Call 15 Rutland square. 27 O
RABBITS Wanted in well stocked demesnes, also farmers' places; my terms cash down. Address "Z 971, Rabbits," this office. 28 8
RABBITS—Trapping of two well stocked Demesnes. Apply Manager, Co-op Society, Enniscorthy. 30 E
SMALL Shop Wanted; moderate rent; city or suburbs. C 436, this office. 27 O
SMALL Office required, South side, York street vicinity.—C 485, this office. 28 D
TO Companies, Carriers, Garages, etc.—Extensive Stabling, Storage, Lofts, Yard.—Rogers, Sheriff street. 29 D

STABLING AND GRAZING.
TO Let, Stable, suitable for garage, large loft and coachhouse, Rutland place, beside Rink, Cavendish Row.—C 507, this office. 27 O

BUSINESS SALE AND WANTED.
A BUSINESS Cheap, £300, earning £10 a week; disposer will initiate purchaser into the business and Transfer all Agencies by introduction.—C 626, this office. 30 F
DRAPERY—Going Concern, very profitable trade; excellent business position, one minute Nelson Pillar; roomy shop, nice dwelling; good rear space, garage; long lease. Price £11,000.—Mr. Holden, Auctioneer, Saint Andrew street.
LARGE Produce Business for Sale—Egg, Poultry, and Butter Business fo. Sale, with a turnover of £50,000 annually, situated in one of the best provincial towns in Southern Ireland; owner wishing to retire; offers.—C 423, this office. 27 C
WANTED, Newspaper and Fancy Trade as Going Concern, in or near city; good price paid; full particulars. Address "Z 906, Business," this office. 26 B
WANTED to Buy, Business as Going Concern, Tobacco and Sweets; city or suburbs; give full particulars.—C 652, this office. 30 E
WANTED, Tobacconist's and Confectionery as Going Concern; Dublin or good Western town; must have dwelling accommodation. Address "Z 1001, Business," this office.

HOUSES AND LANDS FOR SALE.
AUCTION, 2nd November—Balbriggan, modern well built House; possession; close to station; all in excellent order.—Battersby, Auctioneers. 23 X
AUCTION, 2nd November—Thoroughly Secured Head Rents, £66 1/6, £81 10/3, out of premises George's quay, Poolbeg street, Coleraine street. Auction 2nd November.—Battersby, Auctioneers. 23 X
AILESBURY Park—Darlamogue, Sale, fronting Ailesbury road; modern; possession; ready occupation; 3 sitting, 6 bedrooms. Key, 98 Merrion road. 27 O
AT Brighton road Rathgar—Fine House for Sale, with possession; £1,300. Apply Dockrell Limited, South Great George's st.
BELFAST—Vacant Houses for Sale and Furnished Houses to Let. Enquiries invited.—W. and E. Garrett, 6 Bedford street, Belfast. T
BLACKROCK—Glenart Lodge, Glenart avenue, possession, detached, non-basement; eight good rooms and kitchen, bath, etc. Turn; excellent garden. Key, Scully, St. Theodore's, Green road, Blackrock. 8 24
BUNGALOW in field, with Building Sites, for Sale; price £1,500; will accept part by instalments; lease for ever; near Greystones. Address "Z 939, Bungalow," this office. 27 O
CLONTARF—Modern two storeyed House for Sale, with possession; price £600. Keys with MacArthur and Co., House Agents. 27 B
CONNAUGHT street—One of these neat Houses for Sale, with possession; good accommodation. Orders to view, MacArthur and Co., 79 Talbot street. 27 B
COMPACT Residence, South side; 7 apartments, electric light; price £750.—James Allen and Son, 73 Middle Abbey street. 27 B
DALKEY 5 Charlotte terrace, Victoria rd., £750; subject £10. Particulars, Johnville. 26 b
DALKEY—To be Sold, or Let, Furnished or Unfurnished, large House, standing on its own grounds, convenient position, with every accommodation, and in perfect order.—C 653, this office. 30 X
FOR Sale, with immediate possession, No. 25 Clyde road. For particulars apply John Carroll, 54 Dawson street, Dublin. 27 O
FOR Sale, attractive Residence, offices, garden, and Farm, beautifully situated, Co. Monaghan, 1½ miles from station, schools, and church; peaceful locality. Apply Gray Brothers, Auctioneers and Property Brokers, Ballybay, Co. Monaghan. 30 E
FOR Sale, Interest in Lease, six years unexpired, House, vicinity Stephen's Green; nine rooms, bathroom, kitchen, electric light.—C 637, this office.
HOUSE, with garden, every convenience; long lease; possession; South side. Apply C 700, this office.
KIMMAGE—46 Casimir road; Auction, 2nd November; semi detached non basement; possession.—Battersby, Auctioneers. 23 X
KINGSTOWN, £825; non basement, beside sea, hot bath, four bedrooms; possession.—Arthur Jones, Agents, Greystones. 30 E
MACARTHUR'S Auction, 10th November, will include "Hillside," 74 Drumcondra road, with possession; very choice position; open daily. 27 B
MACARTHUR'S Auction 10th November, will include "Derryville," 15 Gilford avenue, Sandymount, with possession; well built, nicely planned, modern Residence. Orders to view from the Auctioneers. 27 B
MACARTHUR'S Auction, 10th November, will include 38 Melrose avenue, Fairview; medium sized Residence, in an improving district. Keys with Auctioneers. 27 B
MACARTHUR'S Auction, 10th November, will include 33 Pleasants street, S.C. road, with possession; just off main road, centrally situated. Keys with Auctioneers. 27 D
MACARTHUR'S Auction, 10th November, will include (with possession) Prince William Cottage, 27 Upper Grand Canal street; double fronted Villa Residence on about 2 acres; suitable for builder, market gardener, or others requiring good accommodation. Caretaker on Premises. 27 B
MACARTHUR'S Auction, 10th November, will include 35 Mountshannon road, S.C. road, Rialto, with possession; "A Home Worth Having." Orders to view from the Auctioneers. 27 B
MACARTHUR'S Auction, 10th November, will include 4, 6, 8, 10, 12, 15, 16, 17, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, and 26 Cambridge avenue, Sandymount (Executor's Sale); modern two storeyed Houses for Sale, in one or more lots. Full particulars from Auctioneers. 27 B
MACARTHUR and Co., House Agents and Auctioneers, 79 Talbot street—Furniture Auctions Conducted. 27 B
NORTH Circular road, near Aughrim street—Good House, with stabling; possession; £700.—MacArthur and Co., Auctioneers. 7 B
NORTH County Dublin—On 5½ Acres, nice Residence; possession. Particulars from MacArthur and Co., 79 Talbot street. 27 B
RATHGAR—25 Orwell Park, handsome semi detached, nonbasement; possession; good accommodation. Auction 2nd November.—Battersby, Auctioneers, Westmoreland street. 23 X
RATHMINES—5 Killeen road; possession; double fronted modern House. Sale, 2nd November.—Battersby, Auctioneers, Dublin. 23 X
VACANT possession, 37 St. Mary's road; 2 reception, 5 bedrooms, bath, 2 w.c.'s, electric light and bells. Apply 39. 30 E
WHITWORTH Road, 17—Attractive five roomed House; garden, garage. Auction next Monday, 6th November, on Premises.—Mr. Holden, Saint Andrew street.
14 Waverley avenue, with possession; modern 6 roomed House, all conveniences; £650. Apply J. and R. Thompson (Dublin), Ltd., Fairview. T

HOUSES TO LET.
DUBLIN AND DISTRICT.
AT Palmerston Park District—To Let, or fine down, choice non basement House; four bedrooms.—Arthur Jones, Agents, Greystones. 1 30 E
FURNISHED House to Let, best locality Glasnevin district; modern.—C 638, this office. 30 E
HALF House, part furnished, Howth road, near Clontarf tram; electricity and gas; garden front and back.—C 686, this office. 30 O
NICE House to Let, North side partly furnished; six rooms and kitchen; modern conveniences; gas cooker; 35/- weekly; good reference necessary; state occupation.—C 509, this office.
NEW House, Howth road; two reception, four bedrooms, electric light; every modern convenience; motor entrance. Open.—McMillen, Kilfester. 30 E
SMALL, well Furnished, non-basement House (Roads); 3 bed, 2 sittingrooms; careful couple, no children; six months or year.—M., 20 Bennett Park, Blackheath, London. 26 B

HOUSES WANTED.
ARMY Hut Officer's Residence Wanted to Purchase; must be good condition.—C 599, this office.
DUBLIN—Wanted immediately, Furnished House or Flat, North Circular road or vicinity. Address Box No. 783, Irish Times Branch Office, Belfast.
DUBLIN—Wanted, Furnished House, North side; rent moderate.—C 698, this office. 30 E
WANTED to Rent, Unfurnished House, North side; about £70; careful tenant.—C 358, this office. 26 B
WOULD Purchase suitable House and Furniture, or latter separately.—C 551, this office. 29 D

HOUSES AND LANDS.
JAMES H. NORTH & CO.,
110 GRAFTON STREET.
'PHONE—DUBLIN 63.

TO DENTISTS, MEDICAL MEN, AND OTHERS—To be Let, fully furnished, three rooms, best side of Merrion square, with or without attendance; very moderate rent. Apply James H. North and Co., 110 Grafton street.

CHARLESTON ROAD—TO BE LET, furnished, from November, first-class House, 3 reception, 3 bedrooms; rent very reasonable. Apply James H. North and Co., 110 Grafton street.

SACKVILLE STREET, LOWER—BEST POSITION IN THE STREET. To be Let or Sold, Commanding Business Premises in, perhaps, the best and busiest thoroughfare in the city, few doors from O'Connell Bridge. Apply James H. North and Co., 110 Grafton street.

JAMES H. NORTH & CO
110 GRAFTON STREET.

TO LET,
THE GLEBE HOUSE,
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